

September Building Permits Expected To Exceed \$100,000 --\$192,315 Since June 1st

City to Get \$3,000 for Flood Repair

The city will receive \$3,000 from the state board of public works to repair as far as possible the flood damage of last March. It was announced at the city council meeting, Wednesday. Eighteen hundred dollars is allocated to Tahquitz Wash and \$1200 to Tachevah Wash. The work will begin immediately, it is reported.

City Council Has 5-Hour Session

The city council had a five-hour session on Wednesday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., with three hours off for lunch. All councilmen were present, with the exception of Dr. Clifton, who is on his vacation. Much important business was transacted, but some had to be held over for the next meeting, which will be held next Wednesday evening.

GRAVEL TRUCKS \$100 A YEAR

An amendment to Ordinance No. 11 was introduced fixing the license fee for operators of gravel and rock trucks at \$100 per year. The same rate applies to truck operators whether they have an established place of business inside the city or not.

The council discussed the matter of amending the license ordinance to provide a rate of \$48 per year for each truck used in the sale and delivery of firewood, poultry and farm products, if operated by someone from outside the city, and \$24 a year for one or more trucks if the owner and operator has an established place of business within the city. If an outsider peddles wood, poultry or farm products, from door to door, from a truck, the councilmen were of the opinion the rate should be \$300 a quarter for each truck used in such peddling business. The amendment to Ordinance 11 will be introduced at the next meeting.

CHURCH ZONE

Special church zones were created for the sites on which the Catholic, Community and Christian Science churches are located, and an amendment to Ordinance No. 12 was introduced creating such a church zone.

DON'T REMOVE TREES

At the request of the city street superintendent, the council warned residents not to remove or trim street trees without first obtaining the consent of the street superintendent.

PLUMBING-ELECTRIC CODES

The board of examiners appointed by the city council to decide any differences between the council or commission and contractors or builders, suggested that the city adopt the plumbing ordinance now in effect in the sanitary district, and that the standard electrical code in effect in most cities also be adopted.

GAS FRANCHISE

The Southern California Gas Company applied for a franchise under the state's franchise act of 1937, which fixes the city's franchise fee at 2 per cent of the gross revenues. The matter was referred to the franchise committee.

The city clerk was authorized to employ a stenographer at a salary not to exceed \$35 per month. She is to be employed part time.

Other matters of business transacted by the city council appear in other articles in this newspaper.

Building permits issued by Building Inspector Charles Burkett for the month of September, up to and including yesterday, Sept. 29, totaled \$94,535, and it is anticipated that the figure would be well over the \$100,000 mark for the month by tonight. Since June 1st, when the first permit was issued, the total is \$192,315, and it is also believed this will exceed \$200,000 by tonight. Ninety-nine permits had been issued up to last evening. Following are the figures by months:

June	\$ 61,975
July	9,200
August	26,605
September	94,535

The largest permit this week in point of value, was one issued to Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosenfield of Beverly Hills, for a \$11,800 residence in Merita Vista tract on Prescott Drive. It will be an eight-room house, having two master bedrooms, maid's room and three baths. Paul Laszlo is the architect and William Martz and H. L. Hansen the contractors.

Mrs. Naomi Jones will build a \$8,000 residence in the Bush tract, and received a permit to that effect this week. The home will be on Valmonte del Sur between Via Chica and Via Carta. Her father, J. F. Peters, is the contractor.

Henry Weinberger, who purchased the palatial R. H. Hood residence on West Avenue at Hermosa, in Las Palmas Estates, seems to have the record so far this year in the number of permits issued to him. In addition to a number of permits issued to him since June for major improvements and new construction, he was granted two permits this week. One was for apartments for servants, \$2100 the other for two dressing rooms with baths and loggia at his swimming pool, \$2500. Charles G. Chamberlain is the contractor for both.

One of the major improvements for which a permit was issued this week is the construction of the new front to the Royal Palms Hotel and Shops, and remodeling of the coffee shop and cocktail lounge. Earl Gray is the owner of the building and Roy Greenleaf the contractor.

Mrs. Edith Woodburn received a permit to remodel her home.

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Fire Insurance Rates Reduced 15 Per Cent

Most Palm Springs residents will get a reduction of 15 per cent in their fire insurance rates, retroactive to insurance written since July 8th, because of the excellent work done by the fire commission in building up the fire Springs Water Company in providing the proper personnel at the fire station, and the favorable building codes and fire prevention ordinances passed by the city council. Co-operation of the Palm Springs water company in providing ample water mains, a sufficient water pressure had a part in reducing the rates.

In other words, a survey by the board of fire underwriters disclosed that Palm Springs residences are now sufficiently protected to promote the city from class 8 to class 7. The lowest class is 10.

The 15 per cent reduction applies only to residences in the city within the approved standard distance from fire hydrants. A re-survey will be made of the business district with the expectation of effecting a reduced rate in business buildings.

Herbert Samson of the Kocher-Samson office, brought this good news to the city council meeting on Wednesday.

The city now has two fire trucks and three full-time firemen, a half dozen firemen sleep at the fire hall and are therefore available for instant duty at night.

First C. of C. Meeting on Oct. 11

The first Chamber of Commerce meeting of the season will be held Tuesday evening, Oct. 11, at the elementary school auditorium, with President Herbert Samson presiding. The meeting will begin at 8 p. m.

"The Dust Bowl Moves to California."

"\$30 A Week For Life."

"Will California Try German Marks?"

"The Single Tax."

"Garrison Revenue Bond Act."

These are some of the subjects to be discussed by able speakers. It is believed that Attorney Grant Holcomb of San Bernardino will be the principal speaker of the evening.

It will be an intensely interesting and instructive meeting, and every voter is urged and invited to attend. Ample seats for all will be provided.

Remember the date, Tuesday evening, Oct. 11.

Find Duplicate Names of Local Streets

In a lengthy report to the city council Wednesday, the street committee, Councilmen Pershing, Shannon and Williams, called attention to the fact that in three instances local streets have practically the same names, and they recommended that in each case the street named first retain its name and that the other be changed, and asked the matter be referred to the planning commission. The duplications are as follows:

(1) Hermosa Place in Merita Vista tract and Hermosa Drive dividing La Rambla and Desert Sands tracts.

(2) Tahquitz Drive dividing proposed city numbering system north and south and Tahquitz Avenue in Palos Verdes tract.

(3) San Jacinto Place in Tahquitz Park and San Jacinto Way in Desert Sands.

The committee also called attention to Prescott Drive and the two circles in Merita Vista Tract bearing the same name.

Chairman Pershing reported that his committee had met with Manager Carol Graham of the Southern California Gas Company and Mr. Inskeep of the Los Angeles Directory Company regarding the system of numbering houses in the city. He recommended that the numbering system proposed by Mr. Graham, which the gas company offered to put in effect here, should be adopted as official by the city council. The plan proposes to divide the city north and south by Tahquitz Drive, and east and west by Palm Canyon Drive.

Mr. Graham presented the city with a detailed map and tabulated numbering system, as approved by the committee, and further offered to install aluminum plated numbers on any and all houses for those people to wish it.

The committee recommended that the entire plan be submitted to the planning commission, which the council did.

Reduce Garbage Fees for Small Residences

Garbage collection fees for homes of two bedrooms or less, occupied by not more than two people, were reduced from \$1.75 per month to \$1.25, by action of the city council. If paid in advance, the charge will be only \$9.00 for the entire year, thus amounting to only 75 cents per month.

All garbage rates, if paid in ad-

P. S. B. M. A. Prevents Losses To Merchants; Serves Public and Aids Local Employees

"If you really NEED a thing you will pay for it whether you buy it or not."

With the above age old maxim, the Executive Committee of the Palm Springs Business Men's Association held its first meeting after the summer vacation, Tuesday forenoon in the Association offices in The Plaza.

Manager Dudley presented a report of the Association's activities and progress since the organization meeting last May 5. This report showed that in spite of the unusual handicaps peculiar to Palm Springs in the summer time, much had been accomplished.

Further than that, it convinced the members of the executive committee that the business and professional people of Palm Springs have paid for such an association, even though they have not always had one, and that they will continue to pay for it if they don't give 100% support to what has been started.

HAVE SUFFERED LOSSES

In other words, admitted losses of bad accounts in the past that could have been avoided if a credit bureau had been functioning, showed these exceeded many-fold the cost of maintaining a credit bureau.

The Credit Bureau files now have over 1,000 master cards of Palm Springs residents, both past and present, upon which the credit information is complete or sufficient to form the basis for the completion of what is known as a standard report.

The Bureau has made nearly 200 reports, a majority of which have been for credit bureaus in other towns. In the last few weeks however, local members have shown intense interest in the procurement of credit reports, indicating that at last Palm Springs business and professional men are becoming credit conscious.

With the return of the season of activity, many business firms have voluntarily approached the association office and inquired as to what procedure they may adopt to give full cooperation to the association and in return receive the maximum of the protective features offered. New enterprises opening for the first time in Palm Springs, particularly the larger institutions that have, or are establishing branch plants in Palm Springs, are making application for membership in the association and for its credit bureau services almost without exception. Those are the institutions that have had experience with similar organizations long established in other communities, and have learned that "if you really need a thing you pay for it whether you buy it or not."

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

Of equal importance to Palm Springs, with its seasonal employment demands, is the Employment Bureau. As the weeks of late summer have passed, activity in this division has increased intensely. The bureau has received 321 registrations for employment and has made many placements of both temporary and permanent nature. The work of this department of the association is carried on by the office personnel with two thoughts always dominant: First, the best interests of the employer and the ultimate protection which he can be afforded. Secondly, just as important, the ever mindful consideration for those who maintain permanent residence in Palm Springs, or return here for successive seasons.

The above functions are those which are tangible and can be definitely determined in numbers and by dollars and cents appraisal. But still just as important, even though less tangible, are those numerical functions.

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City Employs Street Cleaner

Upon recommendation of the city's street committee, Henry Lotz was employed by the city council on Wednesday, to keep the city's streets clean. His salary will be \$100 a month, and he was hired for a period of seven months, beginning October 1.

The city will supply him with a push cart, brooms, and other equipment, and he will be required to wear a uniform.

It will be his duty to clean Palm Canyon Drive, between Amado and Arenas Roads, every day except Friday, on which day the state highway crew cleans the street.

He will clean the balance of the street from the grammar school to Ramon Road once a week.

His salary for the year, are eight times the monthly rate, with a further discount of 10 per cent.

The city attorney was instructed to draft an amendment to the garbage collection ordinance fixing the lower rate for small residences.

Gas Co. Plans To Hide the Gas Tank

That the Southern California Gas Company is planning to make a substantial expenditure to hide the gas container northwest of town, is the report made by Mayor Philip L. Boyd, whose committee met with gas company officials yesterday.

Mr. Boyd stated that the gas company officials showed them evidence of having spent over \$4,000 on engineering studies and other research work in an effort to solve the problem, and he was sure that the company would take care of the matter this fall.

It appears it will be a matter of camouflaging the tank or burying it, said Mr. Boyd. Planting huge palm trees around it seems to be out of the question, the officials thought, because there is no certainty that the trees will grow.

Present at the conference in Palm Springs were Mayor Boyd, A. F. Hicks, Raymond Cree, John Porter Clark, and five gas company officials, including District Manager Hand, three engineers, and Executive Vice President H. L. Masser.

Indian Avenue To Be Paved 30 Feet Wide

Work will start soon paving Indian Avenue, the pavement to be 30 feet wide, leaving five feet on each side for sidewalks. The work will be done by the county road department with county gasoline tax funds. Supervisor Robert E. Dillon was here Tuesday and met with the city council's road committee, Frank Pershing, Frank Shannon and John Williams, and he said he will ask the county road department to begin work on the street soon after October 1st. The street is to be paved with desert oil mix, from Alejo Road, north of the school house, to the south end of Indian Avenue where it joins Palm Canyon Drive.

The committee reported to the city council on Wednesday that they had asked Mr. Dillon for considerable more county aid, and that Mr. Dillon had expressed himself as being satisfied with the proposals and that he would submit the program to County Road Commissioner McKenzie at once. He stated that paving of the road to Garnet will be completed this fall. Thus Indian Avenue will be paved its full length from Palm Springs to State Highway 99.

Projects submitted to Supervisor Dillon by the committee include the following, to be paved and otherwise improved with county gas tax funds:

(1) Sunrise Way, from high school at Ramon Road to Tamarisk Road. To be scraped and graded.

(2) Indian Avenue, paving 30 feet wide, 1 1/8 miles, grammar school to Palm Canyon Drive junction.

(3) Tahquitz Drive, seal coating from Desert Inn Mashie Golf Course to Palm Canyon Drive.

(4) Ramon Road, to be graded and paved for two blocks from Palm Canyon Drive to Cahulla Road.

(5) Sand bank in back of Colonial House in front of Jack Kann's place, which accumulated during the March flood, be removed.

(6) Side drainage ditch on Arenas Road between Palm Canyon Drive and Indian Avenue be cleaned of grass and debris.

(7) Open Vista Del Chino one-fourth mile further with paving. The city council approved the committee's action.

Anthony Andrea, janitor for the Tahquitz and Andreas irrigation systems here for the whites and Indians, was rushed to the county hospital at Riverside last week, in critical condition, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis within an hour after he arrived there. He was taken to the hospital by Officer H. H. Quackenbush. Reports from the hospital are that Andrea is now out of danger and is getting along nicely.

Injunction Suit Filed Against City Dads

Mayor Philip Boyd, Councilmen Shannon, Hicks, Williams, Pershing, Murray and Clifton, City Clerk Guy Pinney, City Judge Albert R. Hoffman, Chief of Police James L. Bolter, City Building Inspector Charles Burkett, each were served with a summons to appear in Department 1 of the Superior Court in Riverside at 10 a. m., next Monday, Oct. 3, and show cause why they and their deputies or employees shall not be temporarily or permanently enjoined "from threatening, harassing, molesting, or coercing the plaintiff, his agents and their employees, in and about the construction of a building on the plaintiff's said property, in Palm Springs and from interfering with said construction," etc.

The plaintiff in the injunction suit is Walter L. Holubar, who was arrested last week for interfering with the construction of a building on the plaintiff's said property.

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Adventure Club Author Returns To Palm Springs

Major Allan W. "Bill" Wells, head of the Wells Feature Syndicate, made two trips to Palm Springs this week. Recently Major Wells returned from Mexico City, where he gathered data for his series of syndicated articles, "Mexico Merry-Go-Round," each installment of which, to date, has been published in The Desert Sun.

Other serial columns syndicated by Major Wells are his "Major Wells Adventure Club," "American Constitution Contest" and "Hollywood Merry-Go-Round," in addition to a series of dramatized sketches, released under the title of "Major Wells Adventure Club."

While in Mexico "Bill" Wells arranged for a nation-wide radio broadcast on Decoration Day for President Lazaro Cardenas. Photo of the Major and those participating in the broadcast was published in last week's issue of The Desert Sun.

The author has been a world traveler and adventurer for many years. The story of his narrow escape from death as he unintentionally entered the harem of a Turkish harem will be remembered by the readers of this newspaper. He has had a number of other adventures, and these paved the way for others to join with him in his adventure club, authenticated articles of which have been published in newspapers throughout the country.

Major Wells plans on making his permanent home in Palm Springs. He is looking for a suitable building site and will build as soon as he acquires the desired lot.

Book of Adjectives Needed to Describe P. S. Drug Fountain

"Beautiful, gigantic, stupendous, colossal, marvelous"; these are only a few of the adjectives suggested to this reporter by Kenny Brott for use in this news story telling of the major improvement being completed this week at H. E. "Pat" Patterson's Palm Springs Drug Company. "Get out your book of adjectives and go to work," said Brott Junior, as he and Manager Merrill Crockett of the store were taking this reporter on a personally conducted tour of the improvement.

And the boys weren't overly enthusiastic at that, this reporter concluded after having thoroughly inspected the work that was going on. The new fountain that has been installed is the very latest thing in ultra-modern stainless steel fountain equipment. It is 56 feet long with a seating capacity of 29 persons. The counter top, wider than the former one, is of a brown composition material; the fountain itself is all constructed of stainless steel; and the back bar is of light birdseye maple. The seats are green.

The new fireproof kitchen is a "knock-out." It sports a large walk-in refrigerator box and other late electrical refrigeration equipment.

A stainless steel fry station is an interesting feature behind the long counter.

The liquor store, which has always been set back a number of feet farther from the street than the drug store, is being extended to the front of the drug store. A new arcade, higher than the one formerly over the sidewalk in front of the drug store, is being constructed over the walk in front of both stores.

This improvement is truly in line with the constant attempt to make the stores and shops of Palm Springs just a little more finer and a little more unique than the stores in other cities.

REAL ESTATE BROKER WRIGHT ANNOUNCES HIS ASSOCIATION WITH RUFUS J. CHAPMAN

Popular local Realtor Billy Wright, formerly employed by Munholland and Company, announced recently that he is now associated with the Rufus J. Chapman real estate agency. Mr. Wright is a licensed real estate broker.

Mr. Wright has enjoyed three years in the village, during which he has made a host of friends here. He and Mrs. Wright will operate the Wayside Inn this season.

Herbert Samson, of the Kocher-Samson office, recently sold a home owned by the late Mrs. Kate A. Johnson of Pasadena, in Vista Santa Rosa tract, to Mr. and Mrs. Elwood C. Windhurst. Mr. Windhurst is employed by the Nevada-California Electric Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Gibbs have returned to Valentine's Pharmacy here after spending the summer at Bishop, where Mr. Gibbs assisted in a drug store. Mr. Gibbs is a registered pharmacist, and Mrs. Gibbs assists at Valentine's.

Palm Springs High School Notes

Palm Springs high school's football schedule for the 1938 season is as follows:

Sept. 30 — Imperial at Palm Springs.
Oct. 7—Palm Springs at Redlands.
Oct. 14 — *Banning at Palm Springs.
Oct. 21—Palm Springs at Imperial.
Oct. 28—Coachella at Palm Springs.
Nov. 4—Palm Springs at San Jacinto.
Nov. 4—*Palm Springs at Elsinore Naval Academy, Elsinore.
*League games.

All games are played on Friday afternoons. Games will be called at 2:30 p. m.

Palm Springs high school Indians, twenty-four strong, are working out nightly at the Field Club in preparation for an eight-game schedule.

Palm Springs high school students took possession of Palm Canyon Drive Thursday afternoon with a parade and rally Friday, September 30 at the Field Club. Spirit is running high and the war cry is "Beat Banning October 14." It is hoped that all friends of the new high school will support the local team. Preparations are under way for a pep rally Thursday, October 13, preceding the Banning game.

The first issue of the Palm Springs high school paper appeared on the campus Wednesday afternoon. It was received by the students with great enthusiasm. There were six pages of news items, school gossip, a calendar for the school year, and words to the loyalty song and our Alma Mater—music by Mr. Walter Testa of the music department and words by Miss Mary Barton and Mr. Testa.

The shower and dressing rooms for both boys and girls are rapidly nearing completion. They will soon be ready for use, enabling the physical education classes to get their regular program underway.

The following items appeared in the new school paper:

Beaumont in Friday's Practice Session

Suffering the loss of Alvin Siva, valuable lineman, through a broken collar bone received in Friday's sizzling practice scrimmage with the Beaumont Cougars, the Palm Springs High School Indians returned to the reservation Monday a sadder, yet wiser band of football warriors.

Lack of adequate preparation in various departments of the game was responsible in a large measure for the dismal showing of the local eleven in the Beaumont masacre. Coming as it did, at the beginning of the season, however, this stinging defeat at the hands of a well-trained team need only serve as a warning of what to expect in the future.

On occasion, individual performers rose to heights of football brilliancy in demonstrating abilities at blocking, charging and interference running only only to have this performance marred a few plays later by being caught flat-footed in the hard running attack of their opponents.

In general, the line was out-charged miserably, but only because their hustling opponents got the jump on them in virtually every play. The backfield was unbelievably slow in getting moving, and not infrequently did the ball carrier get to the line of scrimmage to find that a gigantic hole

which had been open an instant sooner was closed when he arrived.

First Two Weeks of School at Palm

Springs High Adjudged Great Success

Featured by the registration of 109 pupils, the election of a new student body president, the adoption of school colors and mascot, the organization of a football team, and the division of students into classes and the elections of class officers, the first two weeks of school at Palm Springs high have been acclaimed by students and townspeople a tremendous success.

With the issuance of textbooks the second day of school, teachers cracked down on students with an academic program that has moved along with clock-like precision at a pace that is expected to continue throughout the year.

Other highlights of the first ten days of school included the student-faculty party, the formation of a student council and constitution committee, and the general spirit of wholehearted cooperation of students and townspeople alike.

Particularly commendable was the complete absence of hazing or any desire of upper freshmen to discriminate in any manner against freshmen. Such indulgence is rapidly being abolished at other institutions of higher learning, and the students of Palm Springs high school are to be individually congratulated on the fact that this ancient hangover never became an integral part of Palm Springs high school tradition.

Student Body Election

In the general school election held Thursday, September 16, candidates for student body president, combinations for school colors, and names submitted for school mascot were voted upon.

Emerging victorious out of a field of three other contestants that included such able candidates as Jack Hardy, John Tuchfarber and Bill Clark, Senior Robert Thompson accomplished what at first seemed impossible, in winning the student body presidency in the primary voting so unanimously that a second ballot was not necessary.

Returns of the voting were tabulated immediately after the ballot was cast late Thursday afternoon, but the winner's name was not made public until Friday evening at the school party.

Of the color combinations voted

upon, maroon and white was selected by the students from the following combinations: Brown and yellow, maroon and white, crimson and gray, and blue and gray.

Quite appropriately, on the same ballot, student body members elected to be known henceforth and forever more as the Palm Springs High School Indians.

Student-Faculty Party

Culminating the first week of school with a party that will go down in the history of the Palm Springs high school, the faculty generously entertained the student body with a dining, dancing and game fest on Friday evening, September 16.

Dinner began at six, after which the new school song was introduced to the student body by Mr. Testa and the glee club. After the student body had sung the verse through several times, Bob Levi played a saxophone solo and gave an encore, after which Sylvia Rose favored that gathering with two vocal renditions.

Later in the evening, a Big Apple contest was sponsored. Ann Gaudiello and Dick Mooks were finally adjudged winners after the field had reduced itself to three pairs of contestants. The champions were ceremoniously awarded the grand prize which consisted of a little yellow basket of apples and bananas.

Student dancing then continued for the remainder of the evening. Jack Hardy turned in an excellent performance as master of ceremonies for the occasion.

Everyone attending had a grand time and it is felt that the faculty deserves a hearty vote of thanks for sponsoring a party that was aimed to please the students.

Desert Laundry is Ready for Busy Season

Mrs. B. E. Curry, her son and two daughters, John, Jane and Anne, have returned from Lake Arrowhead and Laguna, and have reopened their Desert Laundry on Indian Avenue.

The laundry is one of the pioneer establishments of Palm Springs, having been in operation here for more than a dozen years. Each year new equipment has been added, and last year Mrs. Curry built a large new laundry plant. She stated this week that the heavy expenditure has been justified by the rapid increase in business, which can now be taken care of more efficiently and promptly.

Desert Garden Date Shop Opens Saturday

The Desert Garden Date Shop, interesting shop in the Carnell building, will open Saturday for the third season.

Mrs. Fleta Wroughton, owner and manager, has personally selected a large supply of choicest fresh tree-ripened dates, a large portion of which have been converted into delicious date confections or put up in wine or brandy. The shop features a large assortment of fancy packs put up in unique and attractive containers.

Desert Valet To Open Monday

The Desert Valet, popular cleaning establishment in the Del Rey building, will open Monday for the tenth season. Mr. and Mrs. George Oliver, owners, returned this week from Balboa, where they spent the summer. During the summer they attended the Lions International convention at Oakland, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burkett, and Mr. and Mrs. John Sprague.

The Palm Springs Public Library will be open daily after the first of October at the new location, southeast corner Palm Canyon Drive and Tahquitz Drive. Since the new high school has opened there is a demand for books for high school students. The library would welcome donations of reading material suitable for them, such as history, biography, plays, good fiction, etc.

TONY BURKE RETURNS TO CREE OFFICE

Anthony Burke, who has spent the summer in charge of the Raymond Cree office at Lake Arrowhead, returned this week and is associated with Mr. Cree in the local office. He reports a very good summer season at Lake Arrowhead.

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Local Man Knew Great Men of 20 Years Ago

Palm Springs has a resident who a score of years ago knew nearly everyone in official Washington. He is F. H. "Dad" Robinson, who operates "Dad's Shoe Shining Stand" at the entrance to the Royal Palms swimming pool. He claims he knew every U. S. Senator at that time.

"Dad" Robinson was a Pullman porter for more than 25 years. Before and during the World War he was the porter on the club car of the Pennsylvania Railroad's "The Congressional" train, and for a time on "The Wolverine" and "The Twentieth Century" of the New York Central and "The Merchant" of the New York, New Haven & Hartford.

He holds the distinction of being the only club car porter, on record, who received a \$100 tip, and "Dad" has the proof.

While shining The Desert Sun man's shoes the other day, "Dad" told some interesting anecdotes about "Uncle Joe" Cannon, Mark Hannah, Newton Baker, Jimmy Walker, Al Smith, Franklin Roosevelt, "Silent Cal" Coolidge, Peggy Hopkins Joyce, and a number of stage celebrities, all of whom he knew personally.

"Dad" Robinson is an interesting talker, and anyone interested in stories of the characteristics and mannerisms of the famous men of the World War days, will enjoy a "shine" at "Dad's" shine stand.

Labor Dance Friday, Oct. 7, At Barn

M. M. Ransom announced this week that the Palm Springs Central Labor Council is planning a big dance for Friday evening, October 7, at Jack's Barn. All localities are cordially invited to attend, Mr. Ransom says, and the charge will be one dollar per couple.

A snappy orchestra from Lake Arrowhead has been secured to play for the affair, and a pleasant evening is promised for all who attend. Free refreshments and dancing will be the order of the evening at this fun affair.

Sporting Goods Shop Opens in Bowling Academy Bldg.

Joe Henderson and Bill Marvin, two prominent young men who have grown up in Palm Springs on Saturday will open their exclusive "Palm Springs Sporting Goods" shop in the bowling academy building, a very desirable location for this type of business.

They have a complete stock of athletic equipment for hunters, fishermen, golfers, tennis and badminton players, equestrians, and others interested in athletics.

JOHN McMANN HAS NARROW ESCAPE

John McMann, secretary in the Raymond Cree office, had a narrow escape Saturday evening when an automobile in which he was a passenger was wrecked. His face struck the windshield and he received some very painful cuts, but otherwise was uninjured. The driver, the only other occupant of the car, was slightly injured.

While driving down an incline the brakes stuck on one side of the car, causing the car to turn over. Mr. McMann was able to resume his work at the Cree office Monday.

SUNSHINE COURT OPEN FOR SEASON

The Sunshine Court is now open for another season under the same capable management of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson announced that several cottages have been redecorated and many items added for the comfort of their guests. They look forward to a busy season, with several season tenants already located.

The flood-lights in the trees make Sunshine Court a beauty spot by night as well as day.

Seen on the streets this week was the smiling face of genial Jimmy Glendye, well known make-up artist and New England "Rube" impersonator. He has been the well-known "Uncle Zeb" of Desert Circus and Barn fame. He spent the summer at Catalina.

DAY-BY-DAY MENUS AT THE FRANCES S. STEVENS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Week of October 3 to 7

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
15c Plate: Spanish Rice Spinach Harvard Beets Egg and Lettuce Sandwich	15c Plate: Cream of Tomato Soup Vegetable Salad Bread and Butter Potato Chips	15c Plate: Creamed Chipped Beef on Toast Sliced Tomato Green Beans	15c Plate: Vegetable Plate: Baked Potato Scalloped Corn Zucchini Squash with Tomato and Cheese Carrot and Pineapple Salad Jelly Sandwich	15c Plate: Cream of Celery Soup Buttered Peas Fruit Salad Tuna Sandwich
Chocolate Custard 5c Bread Pudding 5c	Blackberry Cobbler 5c	Fruit Jello and Cookie 5c	Peaches and Cookie 5c	Baked Apple 5c

Milk and Ice Cream Sold Every Day 5c each

Chocolate Milk Wednesdays Only, 5c each

Butler Health Systems Opens In The Plaza

Kenneth Butler, head of the Butler Health System of Beverly Hills and Hollywood, was here this week to make arrangements for the opening next Tuesday of a branch in a Plaza pent house at the corner of Indian Avenue and The Plaza.

One of the principal activities of the institution will be a hiking club for Palm Springs residents and visitors. Other health features will be corrective exercises, reducing massage, ultra-violet ray treatments, short-wave diathermy, and colonic therapy.

Miss Anna Lee, who is head assistant at the Beverly Hills establishment, will be in charge here, although Mr. Butler will spend most of his time here this winter.

STEWART HOPPS LEASES FREDERICK ROSE HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart V. Hopps have leased the Frederick Rose home in Las Palmas Estates. They are well known here, having spent the season at the Desert Inn three years ago and a season in a home in El Mirador Estates two years ago. They are enthusiastic equestrians and will bring their own horses with them from their Long Island estate.

Mr. Hopps is vice-president and general manager of the Pearl Assurance Company. Lease of the home here was made by Herbert Samson of the Kocher-Samson agency.

Algiers Room Now Ready in El Morocco

The Algiers Room, fascinating new cocktail lounge in the El Morocco Hotel has been completed and will open to the public Saturday evening. The room has the appearance of the inside of a Moroccan tent. The walls are decorated in Copen blue, and the ceiling is corn colored. Back of the bar is a deep-set illuminated Moroccan scene by Jack Schuch, noted local artist. Philippine rattan furniture with walnut-top tables comprise the furnishings.

The room has a quiet, refined atmosphere, and will be conducted in that manner. Jack Grier, well known locally, is the head bartender.

El Morocco also has dining room service in the new dining room equipped this summer. Mrs. Alice Thompson is the chef, and she will feature her famous Southern fried chicken.

Alexander Nord, owner of El Morocco, reports indications are for a very busy early season, reservations having been received from such distant points as New York and Boston.

RICHARDSONS MOVE INTO NEW HOME

Prof. and Mrs. Morris F. Richardson and children, John, age 4, and Mary, age 2, have moved into their new home at the corner of El Camino Real and Camino Paracela, in Warm Sands tract. Prof. Richardson is the principal of Palm Springs high school.

Dr. and Mrs. Don Rush report a very interesting summer, which they spent in their trailer house while touring through Northern California, Washington, Utah and Montana, and fishing in some of the best trout streams. They considered Lassen National Park one of the most interesting places they visited. Dr. Rush opened his dental offices here about a month ago.

DR. MACARTNEY RETURNS TODAY

Dr. and Mrs. John Robertson Macartney will return to Palm Springs today from an extended vacation spent in the Puget Sound area, and Dr. Macartney will take up his work on October 1 as pastor of the Palm Springs Community church.

Miss June Fulton of San Francisco who has been visiting her aunt, Muriel E. Fulton, for the last few weeks has just left for Hollywood where she will spend the winter studying with the Lester Horton Group of Dancers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Linde and daughter Carroll have returned from Pomin's Lodge, Lake Tahoe, which Mr. Linde managed this summer. He is assistant manager at Hotel The Oasis in Palm Springs.

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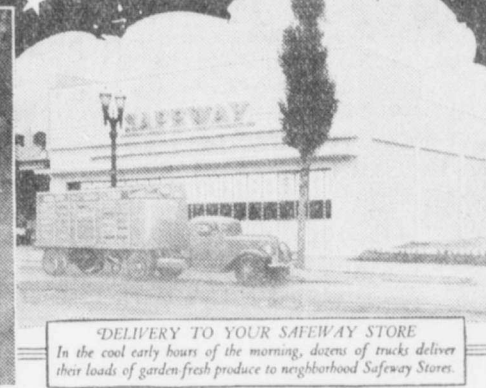
Fruit Cocktail	Dainty Mix	tail can	9c
Peaches	Castle Crest Sliced or 1/2's	No. 2 1/2 cans	23c
Pineapple	Del Monte or Libby Sliced	No. 1 1/4 can	9c
Tomato Juice	Stokely brand	No. 2 can	5c
Tomato Juice	Stokely's Finest	2 1/2-cz. cans	25c
Pork & Beans	Van Camp's	16-oz. No. 2 1/2 can	6c
Corn	Stokely Whole Kernel Golden Bantam	can	12c
Corn	Stokely Country Gentleman	can	10c
Stokely's Peas	Honey Pod	No. 2 can	10c
Stokely's Tomatoes		2 No. 2 1/2 cans	25c
Asparagus Tips			15c
Baby Foods	Stokely Assorted	2 cans for	15c
Chili Con Carne	Gebhardt's No. 2 can		20c
Fancy Tamales	Gebhardt's 15 1/2-oz. can		13c
Soup	Lynd's Noodle and Chicken	3 10 1/2-oz. cans	25c
Dunbar Shrimp		5-ounce can	13c
Mission Tuna	Light Meat	No. 1/2 can	12c
Max-i-mum Milk		3 tall cans	16c
Wesson Oil	Pint can	quart can	20c 38c
Jelly	Kopper Kettle Strawberry or Grape	2-lb. jar	23c
Orange Butter	Tree Sweet	16-oz. jar	10c
Oleomargarine	Robin Hood	2 lbs. for	23c

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Crisp, juicy, fine-flavored Idaho Jonathan apples.

POTATOES NO. 1 RUSSETS 10 lbs. for 17c
Northern-grown No. 1 Russets. Fine for baking.

Bartlett Pears per lb. 5c
Sweet, juicy, fine-flavored.
Bellflower Apples 7 lbs. for 15c
Firm, crisp, Northern grown.
Muscat Grapes 3 lbs. for 10c
Large grapes—excellent flavor.
Head Lettuce per head 5c
Crisp, fresh. Large size heads.

CORNE BEEF 12-oz. can 15c
Anglo Brand. Slice it cold for sandwiches or serve it hot.

PINK SALMON tall can 9c
Choice of Hunter or Happy-Vale Brand can choice of pink salmon.

PEANUT BUTTER 1-lb. jar 15c
Beverly Brand. Made from number one grade peanuts. 2-pound jar, 25c.

MAYONNAISE pint jar 23c
NuMade Brand. Made from the finest ingredients. Try a jar today! Quart, 39c.

SALAD DRESSING pint jar 17c
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ICE CREAM per pint 13c
Party Pride Brand. Vanilla, chocolate, or strawberry. Per quart, 25c.

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Edwards Coffee	Drip or regular	1-lb. 22c
Nob Hill Coffee	Finest Quality	2 lbs. 35c
Hills Bros. Coffee	Red Can Brand	1-lb. 27c
Black Tea	Canterbury 1/2-lb. box	15c
Green Tea	Canterbury 1/2-lb. box	9c
Jell-well	Gelatin dessert Assorted flavors	per pkg. 4c
Marshmallows	Fluff-i-est brand 1-lb. box	2 boxes 25c
	(Price ex-tax, .12136; sales tax, .00364)	
NBC Cookies	Assorted In Cello bags	per bag 15c
Ritz Crackers	Baked by National Biscuit Company	16-oz. box 21c
B & M Brown Bread		16-oz. can 15c
Spaghetti	and Meat Balls Dinty Moore Brand	1 1/2-lb. can 15c
Bovril Beef Cubes		packages of ten 25c
Kellogg's All Bran		11-oz. box 11c
Quaker Oats	Quick or Regular	20-oz. box 9c
Ralston Wheat Cereal		24-oz. box 21c
Dr. Ross Dog Food		2 cans 15c
	(Price ex-tax, .07282; sales tax, .00218)	
Su-Purb	Granulated Soap. Kind to the hands	2 24-oz. boxes 35c
	(Price ex-tax, .16992; sales tax, .00508)	
White King Soap	Granulated Condensed	31-oz. box 28c
	(Price ex-tax, .27184; sales tax, .00816)	
White King Laundry Soap		per bar 3c
	(Price ex-tax, .02913; sales tax, .00077)	
Scotch Soap	Granulated Condensed	23 1/2-oz. box 18c
	(Price ex-tax, .17479; sales tax, .00525)	
Borax Powder	20 Mule Team Brand	10-oz. box 9c
	(Price ex-tax, .08739; sales tax, .00262)	
Holly Cleanser	Save the Wringer	3 cans for 9c
	(Price ex-tax, .02913; sales tax, .00087)	
Hy-Pro Liquid Bleach	half-gallon size bottle	16c
	(Price ex-tax, .15534; sales tax, .00466)	
Zee Toilet Tissue	Family Pak of 4 rolls	per pkg. 15c
	(Price ex-tax, .14563; sales tax, .00437)	

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BEEF ROASTS . . lb. 18c
Center Cuts of Chuck From Choice Eastern Beef.

ROUND STEAKS lb. 29c
Center Cuts From Choice Eastern Beef. Ground or Sliced.

CHICKENS . . . lb. 29c
Young and Tender. Nice to Roast, Bake, or Stew.

SLICED BACON . . . ea. 15c
1/2 Lb. Packages of Wilson's Corn King Bacon.

EASTERN BACON . . . lb. 25c
Nice and Lean. Any Size Piece.

SWIFT'S HAMS . . . lb. 28c
Eastern Skinned Hams. 1/2 or Whole.

LONGHORN CHEESE . . lb. 16c
Mild Oregon Full Cream Cheese.

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TRIBUTE TO G-MEN

Before they dragged Mrs. Norma Weeks from her home, her kidnapers told her husband: "We know it's the electric chair for us if the G-men catch us, but we won't be caught."

It is probable, from that statement, that the safe return of Mrs. Weeks may be credited to the G-men, even though the kidnapers haven't been caught—up to press time, at least.

G-men have put the fear of capture into the hearts of kidnapers the nation over, and reduced kidnappings. Mrs. Weeks' abductors were afraid to cross a state line with her. When the chase came close, they abandoned their captive—alive.

They hadn't even bothered to learn the mode of capital punishment in this state, where the electric chair has never been used! From criminal lips came tribute to the G-men—the confession that uppermost in the criminal mind was the G-man-inspired fear of capture.

OVERTURES FOR PEACE

In the present overseas deliberations credit should be given Prime Minister Chamberlain of Great Britain for his untiring patience in trying to bring about an understanding with Hitler. Great Britain does not desire war, but it is ready for it.

President Benes of the Czechs is also to be praised for his calm and firm demeanor in an international crisis.

And President Roosevelt did his utmost to preserve the peace of Europe. Americans are peace-loving. They realize that even the nations which win wars suffer terrific losses. War does not pay, in the long run.

There is still a lot of room for the people of the earth to make a living in peaceful pursuits.

Lest we forget. If Hitler and Mussolini cooperate to keep the peace let's give them a hand, too.

Administration Harry Hopkins conferred with governors of New England states on the tremendous task of rehabilitating the 100,000 persons made homeless in last week's hurricane, tidal waves and floods that struck furiously along the northeast portion of the United States. Repair of property damage amounting to nearly a half billion dollars was another item confronting Hopkins. The storm was one of the most disastrous in history. There are big jobs of rehabilitation in peace as well as in war.

THE EDITOR'S CUFF

Editor Homer King of the Hemet News writes so many notes on "the editor's cuff" that he has to send his shirt to the laundry twice a day.

Here are some notes from the Hemet editor's cuff:

"Americans are prone to laugh at their cousins overseas as being slow and muddling, but recently an Englishman drove an automobile so fast an electric eye couldn't see. . . . Some times when we finish reading the news of the day concerning the strange doings of the human race, we offer thanks that it wasn't through any choice of ours that we became a member of it. . . . A girl friend returning from a summer in Europe insists that in Germany she bought us a box of very expensive cigars but a customs guard at the Czechoslovakian border took them away from her. If they were like some other foreign made cigars that we have tried to smoke, the customs guard probably did us a great favor. . . . How is Ethiopia getting along these days? We haven't heard anything from it since it was run over by civilization. . . . A missionary in the South Sea islands writes that it is becoming increasingly difficult to keep the native women in clothing. Same over here, brother."

Mayor Bowron is in and Ex-Mayor Shaw is out as chief executive of the great city of Los Angeles. A new broom sweeps clean, and the new mayor will probably "clean house." All should wish him well, and at the end of his first year in office see how much he has accomplished in making civic improvement. He will have plenty of critics, and, as is the fate of all mayors of big cities, there will be those of his own official family who will seek to undermine and discredit his administration.

Former Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany, in exile in Holland, is anxiously following every move in the European situation and prays that the world will not again be involved in a major war. Wilhelm, now nearly 80, never listens to the news broadcasts from Germany or Czechoslovakia, but couriers report each new development to him.

National Letter Writing Week October 2 to 8

October 2 to 8 has been designated "National Letter Writing Week" by the postoffice department in connection with a national plan to acquaint patrons with the services offered to the public by this branch of the Government. Below is printed a letter written by James Mangan of Chicago that expresses the emotions aroused when receiving or writing a letter perhaps better than any similar missive ever printed. It has received wide circulation in the East and is reprinted by the permission of the author:

It's only a few steps to the nearest mail box—write a letter! Take a little chunk of your heart and spread it over some paper; it goes, oh, such a long way!

Write a letter to your mother or father, to your sister, brother, sweetheart loved ones. Are they dear to you? Prove it with a letter! Write a letter and give them the same thrill you had when you last received that same kind of a letter. Think of the joy of opening the mail box and drawing out a warm envelope enriched with old familiar hand-writing! A personal letter—it's good to get one. So send one—write a letter!

Write a letter to the aged relative who hasn't many days to live, the friend of your father, the friend of your family, the one surviving link between your own present and past. Don't wait for that dear soul to die till you act. Act now with a message of love to cheer those last few days on earth. Sit down and start writing!

Write a letter to the author whose story gave you that delightful half hour last night. Write a letter to the cartoonist whose serial strip you avidly devoured this morning to the teacher who inspired you twenty years ago; to the doctor who saved your baby's life; to your old employer to show him there was something more between you than a pay check. He a human being—write a letter.

There's a man in public life you admire, believe in, rave about. Write him a letter of praise, of encouragement. To be "with him in spirit" is not enough—show your spirit with a letter. We can't all be pioneers, crusaders, presidents—but we can help those brave men stay on the track and push through to a grand and glorious success if all we ever say is "Attaboy!" Write an "Attaboy" letter!

Write a letter and—give. Give praise, encouragement, interest, consideration, gratitude. You don't have to give these things but the real letter is the one you don't have to write!

The sweetest, gentlest, and most useful of all the arts—letter writing. Great, grand characters like Washington, Franklin, Lincoln, and the greatest men of all nations, have been regular letter writers. Write a letter! Write it with pen, pencil, or typewriter. Use any kind of paper, any kind of spelling or grammar. It doesn't matter how you say it, and it doesn't even matter what you say; its beauty, its gold lie in the pure fact that it's a letter! Each mistake is another handicap; every blot is a tear of joy.

Do you see a job? Do you smell an order? Is your mind on business? Write a letter. Then write another letter. No business, no individual, built on the "write-a-letter" rule ever failed. Because you simply can't fail, if you write a letter.

Try it, you'll like it. Great joy and many surprises are in store for you. You'll get letters back. You'll get help from unexpected sources. All that you gave in your letters will be returned to you a thousand fold. For a letter is a 3-cent investment in bountiful good fortune.

Write a letter! Whether you say: "Attaboy!" "Thanks!" or "I love you," always remember: A Letter Needs No Excuse!

—James Mangan.

ONA BROWN RETURNS FROM EUROPEAN TRIP

Popular Ona Brown returned to Southern California recently from a trip abroad, and she is now visiting her mother, Mrs. Emma Wilson, at Catalina.

While in Berlin this summer she was the house guest of Countess Gloria von Furstenberg. In Paris she was the guest of William Connors with whom she visited the Isle of Capri and while in London she was winced and dined by the Duncan sisters (Rosetta and Vivian), the Thornton Freeland, Lee Britt, and others.

She expects to return to the village some time in October to reopen her home here, Ona Rancho. During the season she hopes to have as her house guests the Count and Countess von Furstenberg of Berlin, Germany.

Boberick Appointed Postmaster at Whitewater

Leo Boberick, operator of a large cafe and service station of Whitewater, has been appointed postmaster of that place, succeeding the former postmaster, Mr. Burke. The position pays \$1,100 a year. When former Postmaster Burke vacated the office Mr. Boberick was appointed acting postmaster and has since been in charge of the office.

There were several applicants for the postoffice and this probably caused delay in making the appointment.

Mr. Boberick's commission has arrived. It is signed by the Honorable James Farley, Postmaster General, and countersigned by W. W. Howes, first assistant Postmaster General.

New Jewelry Store Now Open

Walter Worden this week opened his newly enlarged jewelry store, in the Grove building, with a large stock of jewelry, watches, clocks, silverware, Indian jewelry and gems of all sorts. He has one of the finest window displays in town.

Mr. Worden specializes in making keys to fit any lock, watch and jewelry repairing. This is his fifth season in Palm Springs.

BEVERLY HILLS WEDDING UNITES TWO POPULAR SOCIALITES OF VILLAGE

In a fashionable wedding last Saturday at five o'clock in the All Saints Episcopal church at Beverly Hills, the charming Miss Bettie Eileen Haines and Mr. Thomas Scheffeld Pine, both prominent in Palm Springs social circles, were united in wedlock.

Many friends from Palm Springs attended the lovely wedding and the following smart reception in the Green Room at the Beverly Hills Hotel.

The bride, daughter of Mrs. Inez Haines, was given away in marriage by a family friend, Mr. J. C. Kinsley, also of Palm Springs. Truly lovely in gorgeous white satin with long, flowing veil, the bride was attended by Miss Jane Sperr, maid of honor, and the Misses Barbara Sperr and Adena Dedrick, bridesmaids. Ralph Graham was best man and Messrs. John Mengel and Wallace Bosco served as ushers.

After a honeymoon in San Francisco and other northern California points, Mr. and Mrs. Pine will come to Palm Springs to winter at the Sequoia Bungalows.

Among the many guests at the wedding and reception were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bosco, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Trout, Dr. and Mrs. F. Grenier, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sperr, Mr. and Mrs. C. Pettifer, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Bower, Mr. Carl Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Foster, Merritt Williams, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Medby, Miss Ann Medby, Mr. and Mrs. E. Knapholz, Dr. and Mrs. Harold D. Barnard, Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Posey, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kress, Miss Gene Mitchell, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Dedrick.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Lerch, Mrs. J. C. Kinsley, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Robinson, Miss Peggy Flynn, Leslie Squires, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Murphy, Miss Dorothy Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. N. Hotchkiss, Mrs. Katherine Pollak, Mr. and Mrs. Byron C. Puryear, Mrs. Frank E. Mandel, Mr. and Mrs. H. Valentine, Miss Barbara Sperr, Miss Jane Sperr, Miss Adena Dedrick, John Mengel, Miss Gertrude Alberts, Mr. and Mrs. Huncker, Mr. and Mrs. Mickle, Mrs. Helen McGonagle, Mrs. Kathryn Huncke and A. G. McManus.

INDIANS SENT TO JAIL AFTER FIRE BURNS 160 ACRES

Admitting their guilt, Frank Lawes and Florian Lyons, Indians of Morongo reservation, were sentenced to serve four and three months, respectively, in jail, by Judge McCormick in the Federal court at Los Angeles Monday on charges of allowing a fire to escape an Indian reservation.

Lawes and Lyons were arrested by U. S. rangers on Sept. 11 near Banning when a fire burned 160 acres of brush adjoining the Morongo Indian reservation. Lawes and Lyons were careless with the blaze and it spread quickly into the forest area.

The Indians were ordered confined in the Riverside county jail.

The Community Church services will be resumed on next Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and morning worship with sermon at 11 o'clock.

Phone 3594 for Job Printing and our representative will call.

TIME FOR AUTUMN CHECKUP ON THE FAMILY CAR

Time for the autumn checkup of the family automobile has arrived — time to get the old car in shape for the winter driving ahead.

"The modern motor car does not need very elaborate preparation for cold weather," said a local automobile dealer, "but if the few things necessary are done now, it will probably save a good deal of bother and inconvenience later on."

It is advisable now or within the next week or two to have the crankcase drained and lighter oil for winter use put in. This will relieve the battery of some of the strain of starting on cold mornings. It is also wise to have the battery thoroughly checked and the generator charging rate set for winter requirements. A thorough job of chassis lubrication should be done, and the lubricant in the transmission and rear end changed to the proper lighter grade for winter use.

"Of course, if the car is sluggish," the dealer said, "it will be a good investment to take it to a dealer and have it tuned. This will have an important effect on easy starting and on gasoline consumption. Tires should be examined for nonskid and safety qualities."

"Beyond these comparatively simple steps, the modern car needs no further attention for the winter season, especially in Southern California. As a matter of fact, if a car needs considerably more attention than this, it probably would be wiser to trade it in for a really good used car or a new automobile to make sure it is a car that is safe and dependable."

CATHERINE FOSTER DIRECTING WORK OF COUNTY NURSES

Catherine Foster has been given the additional responsibility along with Christmas Seal sales, of directing the activities of the public health nurses of Riverside county.

The change came about after Agnes T. Clancy, less than three weeks supervising health nurse of the county, was discharged by order of the Riverside county board of supervisors.

The action, taken after a conference by the county supervisors Monday, gave evidence to reports of dissension among the staff members in the health department since the death of Dr. W. A. Jones, health officer, recently.

Miss Clancy was told of her release in a letter from T. P. B. Jones, directing the health office pro tem, written on the instruction of Chairman W. C. Moore and his supervisory colleagues. Her pay will continue for the remainder of the month.

The board feels that a supervising public health nurse is an unnecessary addition to the staff, one of the county supervisors declared. The entire board was unanimous in directing the release of Miss Clancy, he said.

Miss Clancy, with prior experience on the territorial board of health, Honolulu, two weeks ago commenced her duties and immediately voiced criticism of public health procedure in the county. She especially denounced the "lethargic attitude" of service clubs and public-minded citizens toward the Riverside county public health situation.

The several public health nurses situated throughout the county, Tuesday were notified of Miss Clancy's release and instructed that their activities will henceforth be directed by Mrs. Catherine Foster, county tuberculosis association executive secretary and county clinic nurse.

POTTER'S INSTALL SHOP FOR RECOVERING LAWN AND GARDEN FURNITURE

Manager Groth of the local Potter's Hardware announced this week that Mr. Yoeman of the Pacific Tent and Awning Company of Los Angeles will be located all this season at Potter's new store in the Plaza.

Yoeman will take care of the awning, garden and patio furniture, re-covering portion of Potter's business. A workshop with latest equipment for this type of work has been installed at the local store for Yoeman, and all work will be done in this shop.

Potter's is also featuring a sales department of garden, porch and patio furniture.

CONTRACTOR BILL ATKIN TRANSFERS OFFICE TO N. PALM CANYON DRIVE

W. R. Atkin, well known Palm Springs building contractor, has transferred his office to the building owned by A. G. McManus on North Palm Canyon Drive, next to the Union Oil Station. Atkin formerly had headquarters in the building at the junction of Indian avenue and South Palm Canyon Drive.

Mr. Atkin has the contract for the remodeling of the telephone office at Redlands. This work is now well underway.

Safety In Traffic, Automobile Club's Slogan

Safety in traffic is to be the slogan of a campaign launched throughout the state by the Automobile Club of Southern California and the California State Automobile Association, on behalf of a "Yes" vote on Propositions 3 and 4 on the November 8 ballot, according to Flay, E. Moulton, district manager, Riverside county office Automobile Club of Southern California.

The campaign for Riverside county was launched at a recent meeting in Riverside attended by prominent citizens from throughout the county. Carl E. McStay, field secretary of the club, was the principal speaker.

"Modernization of California's street and highway administration, unchanged in its essentials for more than a quarter of a century, is essential to the decrease of the state's present appalling accident rate," declared McStay.

"This modernization requires two steps. The first is the insurance of the gasoline tax fund against diversion from any purposes other than for streets and highways, and emergency loans to the school fund. This insurance is provided by Proposition 3, which establishes present legislation as a part of the State Constitution, thereby making it impossible for any legislature to make use of the gasoline tax funds for political spending. The measure already has passed a two-thirds vote of both houses of the legislature, and awaits only a "Yes" vote by the electorate to become a guarantee of future street and highway security.

"There can be no safety in traffic without long term planning, which in turn is dependent on stability of financing. With the passage of Proposition 3, all attempts at political tampering with highway and street funds will be ended once and for all."

McStay pointed out that further assurance of long term planning for security and efficiency in traffic movement is provided by Proposition 4, which would make the State Highway Commission a full time body, serving for ten year terms, under appointment by and with the consent of the Senate. Administration of the \$40,000,000 annual street and highway revenue, McStay stated, would thus be coordinated under one head, instead of being distributed, as at present, among several departments that are not interactive.

BANCROFT SPEAKER FOR BIG JOHNSON RALLY AT RIVERSIDE

With Philip Bancroft, outspoken critic of the New Deal and Republican nominee for senator from California, as principal speaker, plans have been completed for a giant Johnson-Ford-Congress rally in the Municipal Auditorium in Riverside the night of October 6.

Held under auspices of the Riverside County Republican Assembly of which Atty. John G. Gabbert is president, the session is expected to draw nearly 2000 persons from Riverside, San Bernardino and Orange counties, comprising the 19th congressional district in which Mayor C. T. Johnson of San Bernardino is the Republican candidate.

The rally will open at 8 o'clock. It will be preceded by an hour's reception in the auditorium for Mrs. C. T. Johnson, wife of the nominee. Arrangements for the reception are being handled by Mrs. Florence Wright, head of the women's division of the Riverside County Republican Assembly. All women of the three counties are invited by Mrs. Wright to meet Mrs. Johnson in this reception. The event is entirely informal, she emphasized. Women members of the State Republican Central Committee from the three counties will comprise the reception committee.

Bancroft, who captured the Republican nomination on a platform of criticism of the New Deal's administration of national affairs, has proven one of the most popular radio speakers of the present campaign and draws immense crowds wherever he goes. He will discuss the national issues and speak on the subject of Mayor Johnson's candidacy.

Dr. Walter Scott Franklin of Santa Barbara, Republican nominee for Lieutenant-governor, also will be present and will give a short talk. Mayor Johnson likewise will give a short address.

Assembly candidates of the three counties will be present and be introduced. They are: Nelson Dilworth, Hemet, Riverside county; Floyd Atwood, Ontario, and Gordon Corwin, Highland, San Bernardino county, and Thomas Tuckel, Anaheim, and Adrian Marks, Santa Ana, Orange county.

President Gabbert of the Assembly will preside. There will be entertainment numbers during the evening.

First Official Lions Meeting Next Thursday

Although the Lions Club has met unofficially every Thursday noon at Harry's Palm Springs Cafe with an average of from 15 to 20 in attendance, throughout the summer, the first official meeting will be held next Thursday noon, place of meeting to be decided within the next few days. The club has about 65 members.

Several members who had been away all summer attended the meeting yesterday. President Francis Crocker presided.

The Lions Club "Surveying Crew" recently surveyed the high school grounds for the new pipe line which will be used to irrigate the grounds. Doing the actual work were Jerry Sanborn, Charles Burkett, and two Mexicans.

Buck "Bring-em-back-alive" Nesmith came in for his usual amount of "kidding" yesterday, regarding the animal he captured in Palm Springs unaided with his bare hands, which he will exhibit to the club soon. If he produces the animal, the chief hecklers, Jerry Sanborn and Clarence Hyde, must eat with it in its cage, "and that animal likes raw meat," added Buck Nesmith. If he doesn't produce a wild animal that weighs at least 40 pounds, Buck will contribute five bucks to the blind fund. He claims that several members have agreed to contribute an equal amount if he delivers the animal. Last week someone brought the alleged "animal" to the club in a point fruit jar. It looked very much like a lizard.

Elizabeth Swallow Marries Hudson Motor Executive

Mrs. Elizabeth Swallow, with the Munholland & Co. office here the past few years, was married recently in Salt Lake City to C. W. Macfarlane of San Francisco and Detroit. They had known each other for the past ten years.

Mr. Macfarlane is with the Hudson Motor Company in an advertising and publicity capacity.

On their honeymoon they toured through the Northwest, Grand Canyon, Zion and Bryce Canyons, and to Detroit, where they will be for several months at the Lee Plaza Hotel.

Mrs. Macfarlane was very popular in Palm Springs and has a wide circle of friends. Last season she conducted a series of radio broadcasts, with a most charming personality. Her friends are hoping that she and her husband will visit Palm Springs soon.

Gay Time For Villagers Tonight

A gala fun frolic will be enjoyed by many villagers tonight as localites assemble at Vic Claridge's popular grill for the party conceived, planned and worked out by George Lafayette.

A special rate of \$1.00 per plate has been made for the occasion, which offers townspeople an opportunity to get-together for fun and entertainment before the seasonal rush commences.

George Lafayette planned the festivities, and has been selling tickets to all who care to tie themselves down to the redecorated and enlarged "C" Grill. In a tropical setting, made doubly enticing by the artistry of painter Paul Grimm, guests will be offered songs and piano specialties by Virginia Mathews, who comes here from a Hollywood cabaret.

Traffic Safety Ordinance Is Proposed

City Attorney Roy Colegate was instructed by the city council on Wednesday to draft a traffic ordinance to be introduced at the meeting next Wednesday.

Chairman A. F. Hicks of the public safety committee reported that E. B. Lefferts of the public safety department and Attorney Stahl of the Southern California Automobile Club had completed a traffic survey locally and had supplied the city with the data necessary for a practical traffic ordinance.

Councilman Hicks also said that County Supervisor Robert E. Dillon had promised to donate at least six traffic safety signs, and that he assured him that the county would bear a reasonable proportion of the cost of furnishing a court room and office for the local justice of the peace and city judge.

TO CONSTRUCT COURT ROOM

Mr. Hicks reported that plans are being drawn for the construction of such a court room which can also be used as a council chamber and for other city uses.

Ralph Nesmith appeared before the council and asked the adoption of an amendment requiring installation of automobile manual and thermostatic gas shut-off valves in all public buildings, in connection with the proposed gas control and plumbing ordinance.

VENDING MACHINES

Chairman Jack Williams of the general committee suggested a flat license fee of \$10 a year for all weighing machines, cigarette, peanut, or other vending machines operated in the city by one owner. The rate heretofore has been \$5.00 a year for each machine, and many of the machines don't make that much profit in a year. The license ordinance will probably be amended to conform to Mr. Williams' recommendations.

Mayor Boyd reminded the council that the permit from the Indian Bureau to the Chamber of Commerce for the northeast quarter of section 14, the present airport, will expire on December 31, and requested the flood control, airport and Indian Relations Committee to ascertain if the city may not succeed the Chamber of Commerce as permittee.

California Realtors To Visit Village In October

The Palm Springs Realty Board will play host one day during the early part of October to realtors from all over California. The reason for this influx of real estate men will be as follows:

The thirty-fourth annual state convention of the California Real Estate Association and the third annual conference of the State Real Estate Department are scheduled for October 4-8 at San Bernardino. A highlight of the conclave at San Bernardino will be a day's visit to Palm Springs and its nearby points of interest, during which time Harry Batchelor will head the local board in playing host to the delegates to the conventions.

Naturally, with the convention being held so close to the home doorstep, Palm Springs realtors will attend the state gathering in virtually full force.

The Palm Springs bowling team traveled to Riverside last night to meet the team organized there by Ludie Britsch, who has a bowling alley in Riverside. Localites included Jerry Sanborn, Tod Thomason, Bill Seaton, Kent Rose and one other whose name was not announced.

Planning Body To Organize Next Tuesday, Oct. 4

The recently appointed city planning commission will have dinner with members of the city council on Tuesday evening, October 4, at the Village Coffee Shop.

After the dinner the planning commission will meet for their organization meeting. Members of the commission are John Porter Clark, chairman; George B. Roberson, Dr. Henry Hoagland, William E. Reis, John R. E. Chaffey, R. F. Outcault, Warren B. Pinney, Kark B. Kumpe and A. F. Hicks.

Junior Chamber In Pre-season Buffet Dinner

The Palm Springs Junior Chamber of Commerce held an important pre-season "buffet dinner" meeting at Claridge's Grill last night, the purpose being to make plans for the coming season. The dinner was scheduled for 7:30 p. m.

The principal subject concerned the future of the Palm Springs Junior Chamber of Commerce. This organization depends entirely on the active interest of all the qualified young business men of Palm Springs. President Palmer said in the card announcing the meeting, "We are planning and depending on your sincere cooperation for a season chock full of enthusiastic endeavor, action and accomplishment."

The Palm Springs Junior Chamber of Commerce has been an important factor in the development of the village. This past summer, for the first time in history, it was represented at the tri-state convention and at the national convention.

Jane Lykken Enrolls In University of Southern California

Jane Lykken of Palm Springs was among new University of Southern California students registering for the 1938-1939 fall semester last week as members of a record-breaking freshman class.

Following registration they were guests at the President's reception in Dr. R. B. von Klein Smid's suite. They then were introduced to campus life by Trojan Knights and Trojan Amazons, S. C. service groups, and started their classes on September 9.

The increased enrollment made necessary the addition of thirty-eight new faculty members, authorities in their various fields, from many universities throughout the United States.

Freshmen students enrolled in the College of Letters, Arts and Sciences became members of the first class to start under the revised curriculum which divides college work into two definite two-year periods with curricula for each.

Among new buildings either planned for immediate construction or now being built, are the \$500,000 science building, gift of Allan Hancock, noted explorer; the art gallery, gift of Mrs. Walter Harrison Fisher, and the new College of Architecture and Fine Arts.

Palm Grimm, noted desert artist, has leased the shop in the Colburn building on Palm Canyon Drive occupied the past few seasons by the S. S. American Maid shop, which he will convert into a gallery for the display of his desert pictures. The lease was made through the Archie Palmer agency. Mr. and Mrs. Grimm have purchased the Cotner Hawaiian house in Indian Trail tract, where they will make their home. Mrs. Grimm will have charge of the gallery.

Death Claims Con Conrad; Funeral Today

Con Conrad, age 47, prominent Hollywood song writer who has spent the past few winters in Palm Springs, died Wednesday, after a long illness, in his home at 14121 Ventura Boulevard, Hollywood. He was well known here. Funeral services were held today in the Groman Mortuary in Hollywood. Death came a few days after the publishing of his latest song hit, "Dancing My Heart Away."

His real name was Conrad Dober and among his most famous songs were "Margie," "Barney Google," "Colorado Sunset," and "The Continental," the latter written in collaboration with Herb Magidson. He received the Motion Picture Academy Award for the best song written in 1934.

Conrad, who came here from New York, had been writing songs for the films since 1929. His body will be sent to New York today after the services, to be conducted by the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers.

Conrad is also credited with being the discoverer of the late Russ Colombo, for whom he wrote, "You Call It Madness, But I Call It Love." Another of his songs was "Memory Lane."

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Leona Conrad, and a brother, Dr. Sigmund Dober, of New York City.

Half Mile Left To Bore Through On Aqueduct

Less than a half-mile of rock now remains to be excavated in the 13-mile San Jacinto tunnel, according to word received yesterday by F. E. Weymouth, general manager of the Metropolitan Water District.

Working twenty-four hours a day, hardrock tunnel crews are rapidly blasting their way through this last barrier in the San Jacinto tunnel, which is an important link in the 292-mile Metropolitan aqueduct, and which is considered one of the most difficult tunnels that has ever been constructed.

Progress reports received yesterday by General Manager Weymouth indicated that the tunnel crews are now averaging better than 40 feet per day in their drive through the granite heart of Mt. San Jacinto, and that by last night the total remaining distance to be excavated had been cut to less than 2600 feet.

Construction of the San Jacinto tunnel, which is 13 miles in length and is excavated to a diameter of 18 feet, was started in 1933. It is the last to be completed of 38 tunnels having a total length of 198 miles, which are a part of the giant Metropolitan Aqueduct being constructed to bring Colorado River water clear across the state of California.

The great water supply project, which will have a capacity of one billion gallons of water daily, is expected to be completed in 1939. It is being constructed by the cities of Los Angeles, Anaheim, Beverly Hills, Burbank, Compton, Fullerton, Glendale, Long Beach, Pasadena, San Marino, Santa Ana, Santa Monica and Torrance.

Archie Palmer this week leased to Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Riley (nee Marjorie Hopper) the Charles Adams house in La Rambla tract. The Rileys spent the summer at Sheridan, Wyoming.

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Library Election To Accept Site On November 15

A special election will be held on November 15, at which time the voters will be asked to authorize the city council to accept the deed to the library site, at Tahquitz Drive and Palm Canyon Drive, which was donated to the city by Attorney George Welwood Murray of New York, son of Palm Springs Pioneer Dr. Wellwood Murray.

Francis Crocker and James Geggie of the Library Association appeared before the council meeting Wednesday and asked the council to take such action in order that acquisition of the property by the city may be legal. The city attorney immediately drafted the resolution calling for the election and it was passed unanimously.

Harry Mann Opens Popular Rifle Range For Season

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mann of the popular Sportsman's Headquarters Rifle Range returned on Monday of last week from a summer spent at Lake Arrowhead to this week re-open their well-known establishment here. They were accompanied by Nero, their pleasant big St. Bernard dog, who celebrated his second birthday last Sunday.

Mr. Mann has added to his famous collection of old guns during the summer, and several additional interesting old pieces will be on exhibition this season at the rifle range. Mann's collection is considered one of the finest in Southern California. It is open to the public for inspection every day of the week, free of charge.

The Manns have announced the following plans for this year. Large, beautiful metal trophies will be presented at the close of this season to the man and woman respectively making the highest score with the rifle on target. Another fine trophy will be presented to the person, man or woman, making the highest score during the season with a revolver on target.

Medals will be presented for the second highest scores during the season in the above three classifications.

Turkey shoots will be held at the Sportsman's Headquarters at Thanksgiving and Christmas times. Various

awards and prizes will be awarded throughout the season. This year Mann will be the dealer for various popular makes of revolvers and pistols, and he will carry a small stock on hand at all times. At the present time Mann is the only dealer in the village handling revolvers and pistols.

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Many Forest Fires During Summer

During the 1938 fire season up to and including September 21, in spite of exceedingly bad fire weather, there has been a total of 71 fires on the San Bernardino National Forest. Of this number, 62 were extinguished before they had reached one-quarter acre in size and all of them were controlled before an area of ten acres had been burned over. In fact, the total area burned up to this date on the San Bernardino Forest is 25 acres. Of the 71 fires, 46 were caused by lightning and 25 were man-caused. Half of the 25 human-agency fires were started by careless smokers.

Forest Supervisor William V. Jones states that any one of these fires was potentially a disastrous one and he points out that from now until the heavy fall rains come is usually the worst part of the fire season, as is proven by the records of past years. The East Etiwanda fire, which was one of the worst in Southern California in many years, broke out at 10:00 a. m. on September 29, 1936. Mr. Jones urges everyone travelling in brush or timbered areas to redouble their precaution with fire. "Brush and other types of cover," Mr. Jones states, "are drier in the fall than at any time in the year since most of the green growth has dried up completely by September."

University Women To Hold Meeting; Opening Session

The Banning - Beaumont - Palm Springs branch of the A. A. U. W. will hold its opening meeting on Tuesday evening, October 11, at St. Stephen's parish hall in Beaumont. It will be a dinner meeting and all women in the Pass who are eligible for membership, are most cordially invited to attend, whether they are members or not. Mrs. Richard Pierce of Beaumont heads the group this year and she extends a special invitation to all college women to come. Eligibility lists are in the hands of the members of the board of directors and may be consulted at the dinner meeting.

Speaker for the meeting will be Miss Margaret Erdt of San Bernardino who is known in this section as a most interesting speaker. Reservations for the dinner should be phoned to Miss Margaret Foldes in Palm Springs, Mrs. Edward Hemmeling in Banning, and Mrs. Christine Kenny in Beaumont, by Thursday, October 6. Officers for the coming year are, president, Mrs. Richard Pierce, Beaumont; first vice-president, Mrs. Ellis Gottbueh of Palm Springs; second vice-president, Mrs. Earle Powell of Banning; corresponding secretary, Miss Helen Carlson of Banning; recording secretary, Miss Edna Forbes of Beaumont; treasurer, Mrs. Ross Martin of Banning. Mrs. Miller Buchanan of Banning is chairman of the recent graduates section. Meetings are held regularly the second Monday of each month and excellent programs are being booked for the year.

BUICK OFFICIAL LOOKS FOR INCREASED SALES VOLUME

Excerpts from talk by Harlow H. Curtice, president, Buick division of General Motors:

"During the model run just ended, a total of 169,000 Buick cars was produced and sold—equal to the 1936 volume."

"While sales of the industry dropped 50 per cent, Buick registered a drop of less than half of that. From sixth place in national registrations, Buick climbed to fourth position, out-registering cars in price range much lower."

"From a little over five per cent of all new car sales in 1937 Buick rose to eight and one-half per cent in 1939."

"No manufacturer can safely coast through a model year. Newness and improvements both in mechanics and in style are demanded and are rewarded by the automobile buying public."

"The public is quick to recognize sound value in an automobile. It will buy the car that offers the most for the money."

"In my opinion, in 1939 a market will exist for from 2,250,000 to 2,500,000 passenger cars."

"As for the general outlook for the coming year, I am generally optimistic. In the past two months we have witnessed a decisive reversal of trend. Current indices clearly point to business improvement and the chances are that recovery on a broad front will be rapid rather than slow."

Historians are studying the old pits on Oil creek in Pennsylvania to determine how oil was used by the Indians, the French and the English.

AUGUST GASOLINE TAX INCREASE IS SHOWN

Gasoline sales increased during August, it was reported today by the State Board of Equalization.

The gasoline gallonage distributed last month amounted to 158,084,636, on which a tax of \$4,742,539.08 was assessed. This amount represented a gain of \$94,139.08, or 2.03 per cent over the tax assessed for the same month of 1937. It also represented a substantial gain over the tax of \$4,548,146.85 reported for July of this year, and brought the total for the first eight months of the calendar year up to \$34,288,539.15.

Oil companies reporting sales of more than 300,000 gallons in July were listed by the board with the explanation that resale of gasoline previously taxed and exempt sales to the federal government or in interstate or foreign commerce accounted for differences between total sales and taxable sales.

GREEN SHACK TO CELEBRATE ITS THIRD ANNIVERSARY, OCTOBER 1

Mrs. Hallie Maines, owner of the Green Shack, midway between Banning and Beaumont, announces a dance for the public at the Green Shack Saturday night, October 1. It will be in celebration of the third anniversary of the founding of the Green Shack.

A peppy orchestra has been engaged, and favors, fun and frolic are scheduled.

Mrs. Maines expresses thanks for generous patronage and promises a continuance of the service which has made the Green Shack a favorite stopping place.

Women in the News

By LEONE BAXTER

Elementary psychology coupled with a womanly knowledge of child training may give the world a new code of international ethics, if the plan of one modern school marm is accorded a sympathetic ear by the diplomats.

Convinced that the world is a good deal like a sulky, selfish, bad-tempered youngster, and should be treated much the same, Miss Elizabeth R. Pendry, educational and vocational counselor for a New York high school, calls on women generally and mothers in particular to help "do for a maladjusted world what we already are doing for maladjusted children." According to Miss Pendry, only recently on a lecture tour in California, some of the "have not" nations, lacking raw materials, markets, colonies and other lands, shake their fists in selfish rage, throw rocks and keep the world in general uproar—strikingly like an exceedingly bad child. Others, eyeing more fortunate nations holding tight to their possessions, like a greedy youngster with a bag of candy—sulk, and hide their sense of inferiority behind a blustering front.

But they work hard, meanwhile, says Miss Pendry, to strengthen their muscles, in preparation for the day when they will be strong enough to conquer their enemies by force. That, in the field of adolescence, means a fist fight, with black eyes and bleeding noses. In the international scene, it means war.

And that's the thing Miss Pendry's plan seeks to outlaw.

Women, she believes, and certainly women who know anything about child-rearing, are aware that to make a good child out of a bad one requires study and understanding of his needs, an attempt to satisfy those needs if they seem justified, and to subordinate them if they don't. The plan is equally applicable, Miss Pendry is confident, and would work as successfully, on nations. "Each nation," she comments, "instead of figuring out how it can keep others from grabbing what they want, would first meet its own needs, and then help its neighbors to meet theirs. This would be done, not through governments, but through business and professional groups qualified to study and recommend help for the 'have not' nations."

Miss Pendry has diagnosed the case of the ailing world pretty well, and recognized most of its symptoms. Her indictments are more than half true. However, the value of her prescription for its cure probably never will be known.

And not only because human beings, individually and collectively, are a pretty selfish lot—as the psychologists and observers of human nature have been telling us a long, long time. In addition to that, Miss Pendry's idealistic plan leaves one loophole big enough for a whole nation to squeeze through. Men, and nations never would be able to agree as to just where and when the limits of "their own needs" might end.

In 1900 there were some 60 or 70 women in the entire country who could drive an automobile. Today women motorists are estimated at more than 10,000,000.

Deadly Gunfire Takes 2 Lives Near Blythe

It was a bloody Sunday far out on the desert near Blythe.

The desert hills of Midland, a mining settlement of the United States Gypsum company in the eastern section of Riverside county, 40 miles northwest of Blythe, resounded to gunfire early Sunday night when two men were shot to death. A third man was stabbed and seriously wounded as the result of an argument between two Mexicans.

The dead are Jesus Garcia and Frank Jones, and the wounded Ismael Noriega.

Garcia and Noriega, both assertedly drinking, engage in a scuffle, and Garcia drew a knife and slashed Noriega across the abdomen and then went into the hills.

Jones, returning from duty shortly after 5 o'clock in the Walborg division of the gypsum plant, joined the searching party which went after Garcia. He shot at the Mexican, he said, to frighten him into stopping. Garcia circled back to the bunkhouse, where he and Noriega have been quartered, obtained a 32-calibre automatic and waited.

When the party discovered him he fired at Jones from a distance of 12 feet. He missed and Jones returned the shot as he fired again. His bullet entered Garcia's right side and pierced the heart. The Mexican's bullet struck Jones in the neck. Both died almost immediately.

Noriega was taken to the Blythe hospital, where Dr. E. J. Garrison took several stitches in the wound. He said the wounded man would recover. Jones' wife, an expectant mother, was also taken to the hospital at Blythe in a state of collapse.

Coroner Ben F. White, Undersheriff Stephen F. Lynch and Deputy Sheriff M. L. Vivian went to Blythe to investigate.

THE "BIGGEST" BUSINESS—TAX COLLECTING

Tax collecting has become a big business in this country.

According to a recent study, the national tax bill has increased 76 per cent in the past six years. Almost 24 per cent of our total national income is today consumed by branches of government. And, believe it or not, there are more than 175,369 taxing bodies in the United States, with an army of 3,000,000 employees.

Needless to say, this legion of tax gatherers doesn't exist simply to mulct the business or the individual with large means, whose salary or income is in the upper income tax brackets. It exists primarily to tax the little fellow—and to tax him deviously, through hidden, indirect levies assessed against every necessity of life. When you pay a \$3 electric bill, you are paying 52 cents in taxes—and the fact that the electric company, instead of you, actually hands the money over to the tax collector doesn't lessen the burden. When you buy a 25-cent tube of toothpaste, you pay six cents in taxes. When you buy a 10-cent loaf of bread you pay 2½ cents in taxes. When you pay a \$40 rent bill, you pay \$10 in taxes. So it goes down an endless list.

What it all amounts to is this: If you earn \$18 a week and own no taxable property, you still pay \$112 a year—12 per cent of your hard-earned wages—in taxes. If you are a white-collar worker with a \$150 salary, you pay \$220 a year in taxes—which means, to put it another way, that you work a month and a half for government.

Get over the delusion that the rich pay the tax bill. There aren't enough rich—even if every dime they earned were confiscated by government. In 1937, 70 per cent of all tax receipts represented hidden taxes. These are the taxes you pay every day of your life—when you eat a meal, ride in your automobile, go to a movie, buy a shirt and a necktie, or do anything else. More and more of them are being levied each year. So never forget that taxation is your own personal problem, on whose reasonable solution your own welfare is vitally dependent.—Pacific Coast Manufacturer.

BIG APPLE CROP IN OAKGLEN

Harvest on Oakglen's apple crop will get under way next month. The crop is one of the biggest they have ever had and one of the best. H. B. Sanderson, manager of the H. L. Rivers orchard in the Glen reports one of the biggest crops the ranch has ever had, and the cleanest—freedom from worm damage—in history. He says the fruit is not coloring during this warm weather, but cooler nights are expected soon.

Sheppard Dates Announced

Friday, September 30th, Congressman Harry R. Sheppard begins a tour of the 19th Congressional district that will take him into 33 different towns in San Bernardino, Orange and Riverside counties by November 7th, according to Harold P. Thoreson, secretary to Mr. Sheppard.

Though the touring pace set in August and September by Mr. Sheppard in total speeches and towns visited is greater than that planned in the October schedule, radio broadcasts and organization details will fill time used previously in meetings and speeches. In September Mr. Sheppard made over 50 speeches in 40 different towns in the 19th district.

It was decided, however, that more time would be given both the people and Congressman Sheppard to get acquainted if a somewhat slower pace was followed. The problem arose because the 19th Congressional district is one of the biggest Congressional districts in the United States.

Congressman Sheppard's speaking schedule follows:

September 30—Chino.
October 1—Westminster.
October 3—Laguna Beach.
October 4—Barstow.
October 5—Needles.
October 6—San Juan Capistrano.
October 7—Banning.
October 8—Trona.
October 9—Chino.
October 10—Upland.
October 11—Costa Mesa.
October 12—Seal Beach.
October 13—Cucamonga.
October 14—Fullerton.
October 15—Elsinore.
October 16—Newport Beach.
October 17—Perris.
October 18—Bloomington.
October 19—Newport Beach.
October 20—Corona.
October 21—Redlands.
October 22—Huntington Beach.
October 23—Indio.
October 24—Highland.
October 25—West Riverside.
October 26—Ontario.
October 27—Anaheim.
October 28—Hemet-San Jacinto.
October 29—Big Bear.
October 30—Riverside.
October 31—Orange.
November 1—Beaumont.
November 2—Victorville.
November 3—San Bernardino.
November 4—Santa Ana.
November 5—Riverside.
November 7—Yucaipa.

VALLEY FARMER SAYS DOVE HUNTERS ARE MENACE

Dove hunters are becoming a menace to the life of both man and beast, according to a complaint telephoned to the sheriff's office by Baxter Loveland, living four miles west and one mile south of Brawley. Loveland said the dove hunters were shooting all around his house and corals and were frightening his livestock. He added they were shooting from the highways and from automobiles, both violations of the game law.

He was advised by a sheriff's deputy to call the fish and game warden at Brawley and register his complaint.—Callexico Chronicle.

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TRAFFIC DEATHS IN STATE DROP

Ray Ingels, State Motor Vehicle Director, reported at Sacramento a reduction in traffic fatalities for the tenth consecutive month in California.

The record was established in July when highway accidents claimed 224 lives in California, as compared to a toll of 250 in July, 1937.

Ingels said the decline in deaths was accompanied by a reduction of 4 per cent in the number of motor vehicle accidents and 2 per cent in the number of injuries recorded during July.

DRUNK DRIVING LEADS IN PROBATION CASES IN CALIFORNIA

John Plover, State Supervisor of Probation, announced at Sacramento that drunken driving leads in offenses for which Californians are granted probation.

With 858 men and 563 women on probation in the state, Plover said 551 men and nine women were granted leniency for driving while intoxicated.

PALM SPRINGS COWBOY WINS

Jack Cooper, winter resident of Palm Springs, Sunday won the bronco-riding contest at the end of the annual four-day flower festival attended by 60,000 persons at San Mateo.

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Supervisors Consider Appointment of Health Officer

Riverside county supervisors on Monday deferred the appointment of a county health officer to succeed the late Dr. W. A. Jones of Arlington. The position is highly important to the public and the services of a trained executive are required.

Unanimous vote of the board requested Dr. W. M. Dickie, director of the state department of public health, to furnish the county a temporary health officer for a period not to exceed 90 days or until a permanent appointment is made.

The action was taken following an appearance of Dr. Gavin J. Telfer, senior epidemiologist of the state department and personal representative of Dr. Dickie, at which the suggestions for the temporary assistance was made.

Whoever is named by the state to fill the position for the brief period will be under specific instructions not to make any changes in personnel or policy, Dr. Telfer agreed with the board.

Dr. Telfer stressed three requirements which should be considered by the supervisors before naming a permanent appointee: proper specialized training, experience in the field of public health and approval by the county medical society.

"The state department is taking a hand-off policy in respect to your final decision, but we'd like to help in any way you suggest, especially in respect to rating the applicants according to our standards," Dr. Telfer told the board.

Indians Hold Picnic at Pala

Representatives and members of most of the thirty Indian reservations in Southern California gathered together on the Rincon reservation a few miles east of the old mission at Pala Saturday afternoon and Sunday, September 24 and 25. They heard their problems discussed by Indian leaders Thomas Largo, Sachem and Stella Von Bulow, Washington delegate of the California Indian Rights Association, Charles M. Johnson, their legal advisor, William Fuller, a Me-Wak Indian of much experience and much intelligence from the northern part of the state, Congressman Ed V. Izac of San Diego, Ramon Ames, spokesman of the Baroni tribe, and many others.

Louis Zamensky spoke in behalf of the candidacy of Culbert L. Olson for governor, and a Mr. Sweet, incumbent supervisor from the district, spoke in behalf of his candidacy, as well as one of his sponsors for Tom Hurley as supervisor. Indian songs and dances in full Indian regalia were part of the program which was followed by a genuine old-fashioned Indian barbecue dinner in charge of Tom Arviso, Indian leader from Rincon, Albert Golsh, Indian leader from Pala, and Sostin Alto, Indian leader from Escondido.

Service of a regular dinner, as well as tamales, Saturday night at their public dance, was in charge of Georgia Mazatti, Agatha Yarger, Mrs. Roach, Mrs. Omish, Mrs. Sam Kolb, and others. Music for the public dance was furnished by the Mozatti orchestra.

The barbecue dinner on Sunday was served largely by the younger women of the community, and much credit for the pleasant manner in which the whole program worked out was due to the planning and organization in advance mostly by the women of the Rincon and Pala reservations. All foodstuffs except the beef which was barbecued was donated by the local councils of the California Indian Rights Association at Rincon and Pala, and the proceeds will all go to the association for the purpose of helping to defray expenses of the delegate to Washington again at the next session of Congress, in behalf of their legislative program there.

Black Hawk, a Mohawk Indian, who has married one of the Arviso girls, and established his residence in Rincon, was the master of ceremonies and handled the day's program with much credit to himself and the community. Robert Tree, a Choctaw Indian, volunteered Indian costume dancing and songs for the program.

MAJOR BOLTON, FORMERLY OF MARCH FIELD, DIES

Major R. B. Bolton, formerly of March Field where he was stationed when he retired from army service on March 31, 1933, passed away at his late home in Bremerton, Wash., on September 18, according to word received.

Pay telephone bills before the 25th and receive discount.

PRESIDENT BENES HAS COUSIN IN LOS ANGELES

An interested radio-listener to Adolf Hitler's speech Monday was M. David Benesh, second cousin to Eduard Benes, president of Czechoslovakia.

Benesh, a statistician in Sheriff Biscailuz's office in Los Angeles for the last thirteen years, explains the different spelling of his name is due to the fact that his father, a retired Pomona banker, added the "h" to keep the pronunciation correct.

"The Czech state is kept together by the bonds of language and was set up by the Treaty of Versailles," he declared. "Benesh is right in his endeavor to keep the country together."

Benesh's grandfather migrated from Prague as a young man and the deputy sheriff was born in Iowa.

Turtle Race At 29 Palms Next Sunday

Not to be outdone by the Pomona fair horse races, the enterprising people of 29 Palms are inviting the public to a unique event for next Sunday, October 2 at 2 o'clock. It's to be a dry-land turtle race.

Some fast turtles are to be racing. One of them has been dubbed "Seabiscuit."

Water turtles are not to be entered in the race. This variety of turtle is too slow "on the hoof" to compete with the speedy desert turtle.

All wishing to see a turtle race should visit 29 Palms next Sunday. There will be no pari-mutuel betting.

The tournament will be held at Smoke Tree Village.

TAX COLLECTION REFORM PROPOSED

Need for correcting the present method of collecting the state sales tax was expressed this week by W. D. Hadel, secretary of the California Retail Grocers' and Merchants' Association, in an address at the organization's convention at Del Monte.

Hadel criticized the growing practice on the part of retailers of absorbing the 3 per cent tax, declaring that in the aggregate it is costing them millions of dollars yearly.

POSTOFFICE CHANGED TO "BIG BEAR LAKE"

By order of the postoffice department in Washington, D. C., Pine Knot will become Big Bear Lake postoffice on Oct. 1, according to word received by A. P. Tidwell, postmaster there.

This action was taken at the request of residents in the lake vicinity, who felt that the new name would be more appropriate for the section than the previous name Pine Knot.

INSTITUTE OF WORLD AFFAIRS TO BE HELD IN RIVERSIDE

Return of the annual Institute of World Affairs to Riverside for its eighth annual session, December 11 to 16, was announced this week by President Rufus B. von KleinSmid, president of the University of Southern California and chancellor of the institute.

Held in Beverly Hills last year, the conclave will return to the scene of its inception in 1926 at the Mission Inn where the late Frank A. Miller served as one of its early patrons.

Five general themes will constitute the 1938 program, according to Miss Lillian B. Getty, executive secretary, including geographical factors in world affairs, social and economic problems, collective security, and the part of the United States in international affairs.

European racial conflicts, America's foreign policy in Latin America and abroad, and trade agreements among nations are among subjects for the program.

The executive committee in charge of the institute includes Dr. R. B. von KleinSmid of U. S. C.; Dr. Frank M. Russell, University of California; Dr. Charles E. Martin, University of Washington; Dr. William B. Munro, California Institute of Technology; Dr. Elliot G. Mears, Stanford University; and Miss Lillian B. Getty of U. S. C.

FOREST GUARD HURT IN MILLARD CANYON

Robert Crinklow, guard at the U. S. forest service's Millard Canyon guard station near Cabazon, was taken to St. Bernardine's hospital, San Bernardino, Monday for treatment after a falling ax nearly severed one thumb.

Crinklow was removing one ax from a rack in the guard station when another fell and deeply cut his hand, forest service officials said.

Prado Dam Lake High School Will Submerge Townsite Starts Oct. 7

Prado dam on the Santa Ana river, five miles west of Riverside, will rise to impound the river waters. It will submerge the present Prado townsite.

The United States Engineer's office in Los Angeles announces that work on the dam flood control project along the Santa Ana river will be started within 30 days.

This information followed the announcement of E. Q. Sullivan, district state highway engineer in San Bernardino, that realignment of the Santa Fe railway and the motor highway near the entrance to Santa Ana canyon had been ordered speeded so that the dam construction might get under way as soon as possible.

Contract for the flood control project was sent to the W. E. Callahan Construction Co., George W. Condon Co., and J. P. Shirley, co-bidders, after Col. Warren T. Hannus, division engineer in San Francisco, approved the bid of \$3,639,795.

Meanwhile, work on the highway and railroad alignment, part of a \$600,000 project on the Mountains-to-Sea highway made necessary by the dam construction, is proceeding rapidly, Mr. Sullivan said.

At present, the Orange county flood control district is rerouting one and one-half miles of the railway and a similar portion of the highway near the canyon entrance under a \$241,183 contract let to Person & Hollingsworth and Wilbur C. Cole, both of Los Angeles. The railroad and the highway must be shifted, since their present routes will be under water after the dam is constructed.

The rest of the highway realignment, amounting to about four and one-half miles between the canyon and Corona, will be done by the state highway division under separate contract.

TWO FUGITIVES JAILED AFTER LONG SEARCH

Two men who have been sought since 1936 across the continent on Riverside county warrants charging use of fictitious checks, have been taken into custody, according to reports received by Sheriff Carl F. Rayburn.

James Moore, alias Martin Davis, alias Martin Patterson, who two years ago passed three or more bad checks in Palm Springs, Banning and Riverside, is in custody in Virginia. It is considered likely, however, that Moore may be taken in charge by federal authorities, as he is said to be wanted on many check charges in all parts of the United States.

At the same time a Kansas jail holds Ray Emerson wanted for passing checks which "bounced" in Riverside two years ago. This man also may be prosecuted by the federal authorities instead of being returned to Riverside for trial, for he is reputedly wanted on charges of violating the federal automobile theft act.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE RADIOCAST

A radiocast program of Christian Science will be given over KFWB (950kc), Hollywood, on Sunday, October 2, from 4:30 to 5 p. m., under the direction of the Christian Science Committee on Publication for Southern California, in co-operation with the Federation of Protestant Churches of Los Angeles. The broadcast will be conducted by Leslie D. Ougheltree, First Reader of Second Church of Christ, Scientist, of Pasadena, assisted by Mrs. Carolyn B. Osmundson, soloist, and Mrs. Lora P. Chesnut, organist of the church.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Unreality" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon on Sunday in all Churches of Christ, Scientist. The Golden Text is from the Book of Job: "Let not him that is deceived trust in vanity: for vanity shall be his recompense."

The Lesson-Sermon includes these words of God as revealed to Isaiah: "Behold, the Lord GOD will come with strong hand, and his arm shall rule for him: behold, his reward is with him, and his work before him. All nations before him are as nothing, and they are counted to him less than nothing, and vanity. . . . Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness. . . . For I the LORD thy God will hold thy right hand, saying unto thee, Fear not; I will help thee."

Among the passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, are the statements: "Where the spirit of God is, and there is no place where God is not, evil becomes nothing, — the opposite of the something of Spirit." "That only is real which reflects God."

High School Pigskin Schedule Starts Oct. 7

Riverside County League schools will open fire in the 1938 football championship race Friday afternoon, October 7, with Perris at Banning, Elsinore Naval Academy at Hemet, Beaumont at Coachella and San Jacinto at Elsinore. Palm Springs drew a bye.

The schedule was worked out by a committee composed of D. F. Cartwright, E. G. Garrison and Secretary H. D. Young last week, and gives each of the nine members seven league games.

Final games of November 18 may be cancelled by mutual agreement, it was disclosed.

Feature games of the season will fall on Armistice day, when Beaumont goes to Banning, San Jacinto to Hemet and Elsinore to Perris in a trio of "naturals."

October 7—Perris at Banning, Naval at Hemet, Beaumont at Coachella, San Jacinto at Elsinore, Palm Springs, bye.

October 14—Elsinore Naval at Elsinore, San Jacinto at Beaumont, Coachella at Hemet, Banning at Palm Springs, Perris, bye.

October 21—Perris at San Jacinto, Beaumont at Naval, Hemet at Banning, Elsinore at Coachella, Palm Springs, bye.

October 28—Banning at San Jacinto, Elsinore at Beaumont, Hemet at Perris, Coachella at Palm Springs, Naval, bye.

November 4 — Palm Springs at San Jacinto, Beaumont at Perris, Banning at Coachella, Hemet at Elsinore, Naval, bye.

November 11 — Beaumont at Banning, San Jacinto at Hemet, Palm Springs at Naval, Elsinore at Perris, Coachella, bye.

November 18—Coachella at San Jacinto, Banning at Elsinore, Banning at Perris, Beaumont at Palm Springs, Hemet, bye.

GOLD PARK MINING COMPANY ERECTING MILL NEAR 29 PALMS

Announcement this week is that the Gold Park Mining company is erecting a 12-ton mill up Gold Park canyon a short distance from Twenty-nine Palms, and will be milling ore within a few days, they estimate.

The company comprises Harry T. King as president, Carl Braly as secretary-treasurer and general manager, and W. A. Marvin, construction engineer. Sherman & Sherman of Los Angeles are the legal counselors.

The Gold Park Mining company is setting the mill at the Atlanta mine of Pat and Owen Ryan. Ore from their North Star and Mildred Ellen mines will also be reduced.

Head office of the Gold Park Mining company is in Los Angeles.

NOTICE OF AUCTION SALE

The following articles, property of Mrs. Florence Beaudou, will be sold at auction on Oct. 10, 1938, to satisfy storage charges:

Sewing Machine, 2 Dining Room Chairs, 1 Dining Room Table, 1 Double Bed, 1 Mattress, 1 Radio, 1 Guitar, 1 Upholstered Chair, Box of Books, and Miscellaneous Articles. The following articles, property of the Yvonne Shop, will be sold at auction on October 10, 1938, to satisfy storage charges:

4 Show Cases. All the above articles will be sold at auction on Monday afternoon, Oct. 10, 2:30 p. m., at the office of the Palm Spring State and Express Co., Indian Avenue, Palm Springs, California. Dated, September 30, 1938. (Signed) C. W. CRANDALL, 59-10

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the Banning Union High School District of Riverside County, California, will receive bids for furnishing all material, transportation and services and the construction of

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delivered f. o. b. Banning High School and Palm Springs High School located at Banning and Palm Springs, California; each bid to be in accordance with plans, specifications and other contract documents now on file with G. Stanley Wilson, Architect, 3616 Main Street at Riverside, California, where they may be examined and copies obtained upon deposit of \$5.00 per set which deposit will be refunded upon the return of such copies in good condition within five days after the bids are opened.

Each bid shall be made out on a form accompanying the plans and specifications and shall be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check or bid bond for 5% of the amount of the bid made payable to the order of the Board of Trustees, Banning Union High School District of Riverside County, California; shall be sealed and filed with the Superintendent of Schools at Banning, California, on or before September 30, 1938, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. and will be opened and publicly read aloud at or about 7:30 o'clock P. M. of that day in the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Banning, California.

The above mentioned check or bond shall be given as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into the contract if awarded to him and will be declared forfeited if the successful bidder refuses to enter into said contract after being requested to do so by the Board of Trustees, Banning Union High School District of Riverside County, California.

The Board of Trustees, Banning Union High School District of Riverside County, California, reserves the right to reject any and all bids or waive any informality in the bid.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30) days after the date set for the opening thereof. Banning, California, September 15, 1938. (Signed) VINCENT STONE, Clerk of Board of Trustees, Banning Union High School District of Riverside County, California. 57-9-H38-40

WHAT THE SINGLE TAX MIGHT ACCOMPLISH; VIEW OF CLUBWOMEN

California schools would be closed. Relief for orphaned children, the blind, the needy aged and the unemployed would end.

These are probable developments if the single tax initiative, Proposition No. 20 on the November ballot, is not defeated, according to a statement issued by Mrs. Duncan Robinson, president of the California Federation of Women's Clubs.

"Over half of the state's general fund revenues are for maintenance of public schools," Mrs. Robinson said. "A third provides social security aid to the needy aged, blind and children, and unemployment relief."

"Over half of the revenues of the state's general fund are supplied by the Retail Sales and Use Tax."

"If these taxes were repealed and a single tax substituted for them, in a comparatively short time this confiscatory law would so reduce the amount of privately owned property that there would be insufficient state revenue. Our schools would be closed for lack of funds. Our unfortunates would go hungry."

"Undoubtedly the roll of unfortunates would be augmented by many of those persons who now own their own homes, but could not afford to do so and pay triple their present taxes."

"We Californians, who truly love our state, do not want these things to happen. That is why we are asking every voter to help defeat Proposition No. 20 by voting 'no.'"

More than thirty organizations are represented on the Statewide Council Against Single Tax, including such groups as the California Congress of Parents and Teachers; State Association of County Assessors; California Federation of Women's Clubs; California Teachers Association; County Supervisors Association of California; California League of Women Voters; Agricultural Council of California; Farmers Union of California; Associated Farmers of California; California Real Estate Association; California Farm Bureau Federation; California State Chamber of Commerce; California School Trustees Association; and many others.

BANCROFT GETS 2,811 MAJORITY

Official figures compiled by the secretary of state's office at Sacramento Friday showed that Philip Bancroft, Walnut Creek lawyer-farmer, won the Republican nomination for U. S. Senator by a margin of 2,811 votes over Ray L. Riley, of Colton.

Bancroft received 295,751 votes against Riley's vote of 292,940 in the August primary.

SCHILLING OPENS BRANCH AT 29 PALMS

Members of the staff of Schilling Motor Sales were at 29 Palms Monday to deliver a number of new Fords and used cars to their new branch which Mr. Schilling has opened in that desert community. William F. Stroufe is the manager of the Schilling agency at 29 Palms.

COMMENDS CAREFUL DRIVERS

Chief R. D. Thorp of the Austin, Texas, police department, believes a good automobile driver should be commended for driving carefully if bad ones are to be arrested.

So he has asked traffic officers to report instances of careful driving in known dangerous spots. The chief writes the driver a personal letter—not a form one—telling him that his careful driving had been noted.

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New High's First Team in First Game

This afternoon at 3:00 p. m., the first football eleven of the new Palm Springs high school ran onto the gridiron at the Field Club there to tangle in their first game with a team from the Imperial Union high school.

The "Indians," the name by which the local team is known, went into the game this afternoon as slight favorites to knock over the valley team. This because of the good showing made by the Indians in a recent scrimmage with the strong Beaumont High eleven.

The game being played this afternoon is a non-conference game, and the results will have no bearing upon the local high school's standing in the league.

The "big game" for the local boys will be that with their sister school, Banning. Spirit is running high already for this game that will be played here on Friday, Oct. 14, and the war cry of the local boys is "Beat Banning."

Champion Indian Basket Maker Is Called

Mrs. Ezilda Brittan Welmas, age over 70, mother of Indian Officer Joe Welmas of the Palm Springs reservation, and famous Indian basket maker, died at 4:20 Wednesday afternoon at her home on the Pala Indian reservation.

She was the mother of Officer Joe Welmas and Mrs. Charles Gabriel, all residents of the Palm Springs reservation.

Mrs. Welmas made many prize-winning baskets during her lifetime, one of her baskets having been sold for \$150 in Palm Springs, it is said.

Office Building Being Built on Reservation

An office building of three rooms is under construction on the Indian reservation on the same lot and just southeast of the present office, and east of the bath house. It will have one large room, 26 feet long, to be used for tribal meetings, a private office for H. H. Quackenbush and his assistants, and a store room. The building will be built of cement blocks and will be insulated with rock wool.

Ward's Camera Shop To Open Monday

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Ward returned from Yosemite Valley Wednesday and began preparations immediately to reopen their camera shop in the Hanahs building. The shop has been redecorated and considerable new equipment has been added. This is their fourth season here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward and their son John made an interesting trip with pack animals into the High Sierras, where they enjoyed exceptionally good trout fishing for a period of ten days. They lived in their trailer house in Yosemite during most of the summer. Their son, John, is enrolled in the seventh grade in the local school.

Now It's "Grandpa" Lloyd Simon

Lloyd Simon returned here this week with a big broad smile on his face, for he is now a "grand-pappy." A bouncing baby boy was born to his daughter, Mrs. Roslyn Lang, on September 15.

Incidentally, when Grand-pappy Simon attended the Lions Club meeting yesterday he brought a \$44 check with him for the club's blind fund, which he had extracted from a friend. It is said one cannot be his friend unless he contributes to this fund. Someone at the meeting yesterday suggested that if everybody in the club would collect as much money as Lloyd does, and donate it to the club, each member could have \$30 every Thursday and thus quit work.

As chairman of the blind fund committee, Mr. Simon collected most of the \$500 which was used to purchase the seeing-eye guide dog for a young blind man of Los Angeles.

Muriel Fulton Joins Rabbeth As Partner

Mrs. Muriel E. Fulton, who has been connected with the office of W. E. Rabbeth for several years, is now a partner in the firm and henceforth the firm will operate as Rabbeth & Fulton. Their office is now open for business for the new season and is fully equipped to handle rentals, sales and insurance.

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FOR SALE—Lady's bicycle, only \$20, nearly new. Inquire 945 East Nicolet, Banning. **s9-p**

FOR RENT—Furnished cottages, \$26 to \$46 month. Large, shady yards; quiet. Palm Canyon Drive. Inquire green house, 1 block south Orchard Camp, P. O. Box 25. **s9**

BARGAINS—New 40-lb. mattresses, \$1.95; 17.50 innerspring mattresses, \$10.95; 9x12 Linoleum rugs, \$4.95; circulating oil heaters, \$39.50 up; new type studio divans, \$25.95 up. Many other bargain offers. Our new location, Fifth and California Sts., phone 212, Beaumont Furniture Store, Beaumont. **s9**

FOR SALE—New cabin; movable. Has sleeping porch. Complete bathroom with all-steel shower; clothes closet; gas water heater; wiring complete; all plumbing intact. Price \$395.00 delivered. Desert Sun Box "H." **s9-11p**

FOR EXCHANGE—My equity in nine acres in heart of Hollywood, for desirable Palm Springs furnished home or bungalow court. Write Dr. Stitt, 7089 Hawthorne or telephone GLadstone 3687. **s9-10p**

FOR SALE—Carpen davenport and chair, blue tapestry upholstery, maple ladder back, hand studding. Phone 5311. Mrs. Fowler. **s9**

HOUSE FOR SALE—Sleeping room, bath, kitchen, breakfast nook, living room; completely furnished. All modern, newly painted inside and out. Palm shade for car. Lot 50x55 feet, fenced. \$800 cash. C. E. Cruncleton, Cathedral City. **s9**

FOR QUICK SALE OR TRADE—7 Palms Rancho, 8 miles from Palm Springs. Small house, plenty water. Sacrifice \$1300. Take car or lot down. Box 4, Palm Springs, or phone Sheptenko, 4567. **s9**

SALE OR RENT—Moderately priced 6-room house. Merito Place, three streets west of hospital. H. M. Robinson. **s9-11p**

FOR LEASE—New, modern storeroom with living quarters. C. E. Cruncleton, Cathedral City. **s9**

FREE OFFICE RENT to public stenographer in central downtown location. Expected to watch office and answer telephone in return for rent. This is a good opportunity. Write for particulars to P. O. Box 190, Palm Springs. **s8tfp**

VISTA DEL CHINO APARTMENTS—Reduced rentals if taken by the season within two weeks. \$65.00 a month and up. Electrical refrigeration, gas, private screened porches; utilities included. North Indian Avenue, adjoining Gas Co. Louise Klug, owner. **s8-9**

CABINS AND APARTMENTS FOR RENT—By day, week or month at Cabazon. Rates for \$16 to \$30 per month. Watson's Store, Cabazon. **s7-tf**

FOR RENT, \$45—Furnished cottage in Araby. Electric refrigeration. All utilities paid. Hohl, 7816 W. Knoll Drive, West Hollywood. **s7tf**

FURNISHED COTTAGES—Double and single, \$25 up. Bath and shower. Naley's Court, Cathedral City. **s7-tf**

FOR RENT—Three-bedroom furnished, Santa Rita Place. J. G. Repplier, Phone 3532, 70 North San Geronimo, Banning. **s1-tf**

AUCTIONS—I get quick cash for real estate, furniture, livestock. Estates closed by auction. C. S. Stout, Auctioneer, 263 "E" Street, San Bernardino. **s5-tf**

FOR SALE—Screened lawn fertilizer, \$2.50 per yard; unscreened, \$3.00, delivered. Armstrong Dairy, Beaumont, California. **s6-9**

P. S. B. M. A. Prevents--

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ous obligations to the community, which such associations are always depended upon to discharge. Matters of legislation, local betterment, and welfare, flow through the association office continually, with little general knowledge on the part of the general public of what is actually being accomplished, but with the results always eventually apparent.

BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU

Many towns have better business bureaus which serve as a court of reference or appeal to eradicate unethical and undesirable trade practices. The Palm Springs Business Men's Association will function as such a bureau. Curb-stone practices will be watched and suppressed. Solicitations for donations, pledges, special subscriptions and advertising rackets will be carefully investigated and should receive approval from the association office after a thorough and impartial investigation of their merits have been completed before they are given a hearing by those solicited.

A very complete questionnaire has been designed by the association office to be filled out by such solicitors. The questionnaire seeks such information as will establish the responsibility of those soliciting and the worthiness of the cause for which the solicitation is made. No one whose responsibility and worthiness is above reproach need have any fear of the consequences of the investigation.

Already the business men of Palm Springs have seen the value of this service, as only last week one of the association members, upon being approached by such solicitor referred him to the association office. Upon explanation of the necessary procedure, and having handed to him one of these questionnaires, he stated it was necessary for him to have the information furnished by his home office in another town, and left the office. As far as known he has not been seen in Palm Springs since.

FULL LEGAL PROTECTION

The association has been incorporated as a non-profit association, thereby affording the member, as well as the association, full legal protection in every phase of their operation.

M. C. Dudley, executive manager, spent much time in the last few months visiting similar associations in other cities where such organizations have been in operation for many years, gathering ideas which could be applied with benefit to Palm Springs, and making contacts tending to insure a close cooperation between Palm Springs and other associations.

Upon acceptance of Manager Dudley's report, Tuesday, of the summer work, there were expressions of satisfaction with the accomplishments to date, and that these accomplishments prove only one thing—that the ambitions of those who conceived the need for, and brought about a realization of the association, have been justified, and that the structure of greater accomplishment must now be built upon the foundation already established.

TO ANNOUNCE PROGRAM

Toward the realization of this determination, a budget and finance committee was appointed to draft a scale of membership dues and fees, operating budget, procurement of a permanent location for the association offices and equipment. Members of this committee are George Oliver, association treasurer, chairman; Earl Coffman and Warren Pinney. These men will be assisted in their deliberations by President Patterson, Robert Ransom and Manager Dudley.

Upon completion of their preliminary work, their recommendations will be presented to the whole of the executive committee at a luncheon meeting to be held through the courtesy of George Robertson, at the Village Coffee Shop, Monday, October 3, at twelve o'clock. Upon adoption of definite policies and permanent operating arrangements by the executive committee, a general meeting of the entire association membership will be held at a time and place to be announced later for a full explanation of the program proposed. At this meeting a complete detailed report will be submitted so that every member and prospective member will know exactly what is contemplated and what he may expect to receive, as well as what is expected of him or her.

The association office has been so busy that it has been necessary to have two lady assistants working almost full time during the last two weeks.

10-in. Water Line Being Installed On Indian Ave.

An unusual public utility company is the Palm Springs Water Co. Instead of waiting until the new pavement is put in on Indian avenue and then tearing it up to put in the water mains, the company is putting in a 10-inch main on that street, which will take care of all future demands in that area.

The new 10-inch line will connect with the 10-inch main at the school house and the main line of the same size at the south end of Indian avenue. It will supply 2250 gallons per minute, compared to 600 gallons per minute by the old line, thus affording much better fire protection to the Indian reservation and all other points along Indian avenue.

NEWSPAPER COMMENTS OF 50 YEARS AGO

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Building Permits

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mit for the construction of a six room hotel on South Palm Canyon Drive between Arenas and Baristo Roads. Finlayson & Benedict are the architects and E. F. Martell the contractor. The cost as specified in the application is \$4,000.

Other permits were as follows: Robert & Plymire, addition of room, bath, and linen room at apartment house on Indian Avenue between Ramon and Camino Paracela in Vista Santa Rosa tract.

Charles E. Hixon, repair residence on Camino Paracela in Vista Santa Rosa tract.

Otto Werner, repair dwelling on Camino De Anapala in Ramon tract. A. V. Linkletter, addition of exclusive sun deck, screened sleeping porch, toilet and shower at residence, Ocotillo Ave., in Palos Verdes tract No. 3.

C. E. Bunker, repairs to garage occupied by Palm Springs Motor Co.

JUDGE COLLECTS \$100 IN FINES

City Judge Albert R. Hoffman collected \$100 in fines so far this month from defendants arrested on the charge of being drunk on the streets. The judge has also had quite a number of small claims cases.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Quackenbush visited the Los Angeles County Fair at Pomona on Wednesday.

CREGARS RETURN FROM EXTENDED BUYING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. R. Bruce Cregar, owners of the Palm Canyon Trading Post and Cregar's Indian Shop, have returned from an extensive buying trip throughout the Pacific Coast states. Much time was spent at Seattle and Vancouver, and they visited the Indian reservations in the areas traversed by them.

Mr. Cregar again had a large exhibit at the Gallup, N. M., exhibition of Indian arts and crafts, and one of his baskets won the grand prize.

The Cregars are preparing to open their Trading Post at Palm Canyon at once, and their down town shop will open by October 15th. Their daughter, Mrs. Bernice Doro, will again manage Cregar's Indian Shop.

Injunction Suit--

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rested on September 17 on the charge of violating Ordinance No. 1 of the city building code, by beginning construction on a building without first obtaining a building permit from the city building inspector. He was released on his own recognizance. Mr. Holubar is represented by Attorneys R. Russell Priest and John L. Bisher, Jr., of Los Angeles.

Mr. Holubar proposed to construct a battery service station on South Palm Canyon Drive, lot 2, in the Vista Santa Rosa tract. He is a representative of the United Motors Co.

The complaint against him was filed by City Building Inspector Charles Burkett, the warrant issued by City Judge Albert R. Hoffman and served by the police department.

He demanded a jury trial, and the date for his trial has not yet been set, but the law provides it must be within 30 days.



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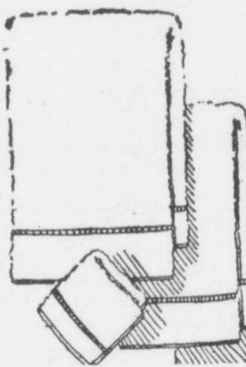


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